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EDUCATION NEEDS VISION TO-DAY

Sir Michael Sadler and party left last night on the boat for Vancouver after two busy days in Victoria. Sir Michael delivered two addresses on Sunday, speaking in the morning at First Presbyterian Church on "The Scots Influence on Modern Education," and in the evening at Christ Church Cathedral on "Vision." He spent Sunday afternoon at the Butchart Gardens. He had already seen these on Saturday but was so pleased with them that he paid them a second visit.

To a crowded congregation at the morning service in First Presbyterian Church Sir Michael Sadler based his remarks upon the passage from the First Psalm: "Lift up a right spirit within me." He traced among others the influence of Calvin, Knox, Sir Walter Scott, Burns, on modern thought in education. To Calvin, Knox, and the worthy descendants of the Scottish Church, society owed that great contribution that "Education must be for all," and not for the privileged few. Burns taught the whole world that "A man's a man for a' that." Hence Scotland had always led the way in standardized education for all, and in doing so had rendered a great service to humanity, he said. Sir Michael pointed out, however, "that we must avoid the great danger of standardization, and must see that the child of high and exceptional intellect had the opportunity to advance in accordance with his genius, and was not held back by the standard of the average."

Another great heritage from the Scots was that true freedom came from discipline and duty, and the discipline of Scottish homes had proved this great truth. The Scots also were rich in their love of philosophy, and this characteristic proved of inestimable value to Scotland wherever they might happen to be—and behind all this was a deep and lasting reverence and a trust in God.

At Christ Church.
At the evening service Christ Church Cathedral was filled, and extra chairs had to be provided to accommodate many people. Sir Michael spoke on "Vision," taking as his text the passage "Through light they shall see light." Throughout the whole address he spoke in a quiet, unassuming, but deeply impressive manner, and his sentences were full of meaning. His main point was that vision was a great necessity of the present day, "that we might see the real light, the real significant beauty and truth in all things." He gave many beautiful and pointed illustrations from classical and modern history to show that only to a few was this power of discernment really given, and hence it is necessary for all to cultivate it. Vision, however, pointed out Sir Michael, must always be accompanied with courage, courage to face even failure and disaster with unselfish fortitude, realizing as we should if we only had the true and full vision, that our failure was probably the foundation for the success of others—and by such success the world would be benefited.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Advertisements under this heading 3 cents per word per insertion.

Women's Canadian Club meeting, Tuesday next, 3:30 p. m., Empire Ballroom. Speaker, Miss Helen Stewart, who will report on the Educational Conference in Toronto. Public admitted at charge of twenty-five cents.

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Mendelsohn's "Elijah," First Presbyterian Church on Tuesday, May 1, commencing at 8 p. m. Chorus 150 voices. Tickets 50 cents; can be had at Messrs. Fletcher Bros., Heinemann Piano Co., McFarlane Drug Store.

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ASSIZE TO OPEN SHORTLY

Unusual interest centres in the Assize to be opened in the County of Victoria on May 8, when five charges concerning six defendants will be laid before the Grand Jury at the local court house, Bastion Square. Mr. Justice W. A. Macdonald will be the trial judge, and will have Henry C. Hall, K. C., as Crown prosecutor.

MOVE TO NAME A NEW FINANCE HEAD FOR CITY

To Investigate Superannuation of Mr. Raymur on Account of Ill-health

In view of the recent ill-health of City Controller J. L. Raymur, the City Council to-day passed a formal resolution instructing its Finance Committee to consult with Mr. Raymur and investigate the advisability of superannuating him.

Meanwhile, on account of Mr. Raymur's absence, Assistant City Controller J. L. Raymur was appointed Acting Controller to-day, and the Council instructed the Finance Committee to report upon the position of City Controller.

It has become known that Alderman J. L. Raymur, who has been appointed to succeed Mr. Raymur if he should wish to resign, is known to have no intention of resigning. The Council to-day passed a resolution to promote any official in the City Hall to a vacancy.

CANADIAN SHIPS LOST \$9,649,478

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The directors recommend: 1. That the fleet be kept in operation but reduced to a total complement of thirty vessels. 2. That the capital cost of the vessels be reduced to what may be considered the present replacement value.

"Inquiries made in various ship-building centres indicate," the report continues under the latter head, "that the construction cost of the vessels of the types which make up our fleet is now in the neighborhood of \$50 per deadweight ton, and this value in our opinion would constitute a fair replacement value."

No Withdrawal.
The report continues: "On account of the great value to the Canadian National Railways of the operation of vessels on recognized trade routes, your directors do not recommend a withdrawal of the fleet, but desire to confine operations to vessels suitable for these services and capable of making an economic performance."

"It would seem desirable to have further consideration given to the recommendation made in our report that interest due the Government be payable for each year only if earned after allowing depreciation, such remission of interest to be applicable for a period of five years."

"With the experience of the years 1921 and 1922, it is difficult to be optimistic of the future, yet present indications are that in several trades conditions are improving and we have reason to anticipate a gradual return to better conditions in the near future."

"Generally, steamship people look more optimistically upon 1923 than upon the two previous years. To certain ports trade is quite active and the ships are doing fairly well. On other routes conditions have not improved, and it is on such routes that our losses are being sustained."

OBITUARY

The funeral of the late Mrs. Eliza Jane Shakespeare, widow of the late Noah Shakespeare, who passed away in Vancouver on Saturday, will take place to-morrow from the E. C. Funeral Home, Ltd., at 2 p. m. The service will be conducted by the Rev. Clem Davies and the Rev. W. J. Sippell. Rev. Dr. W. J. Sippell will officiate, and the service will be held at the Centennial Methodist Church, George Road, at 2:15 p. m. Interment will be at Ross Bay Cemetery.

The friends of Albert H. Barnes will regret to hear of his sudden death at Sacramento, Cal., on April 27, following an operation. He was well known in this city and was employed at one time as electrician in the Parliament Buildings.

The funeral of baby Keith Brethour Slater, the eight-months-old twin son of Capt. and Mrs. Arthur Slater, who died at his home in Victoria on Saturday at the family residence, 1234 Johnson Street, will take place to-morrow afternoon at 3:45 o'clock from the E. C. Funeral Home, Ltd., at 2 p. m. The service will be held at the Centennial Methodist Church, George Road, at 2:30 o'clock, when the Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick will officiate.

MUST CATCH THE CARNIVAL SPIRIT

F. W. Marsh Addresses the Gyro Club

"If this thing is to be a success the people have got to get the carnival and festive spirit. Then there will be no doubt of the Frolic going over in big style. You're not going to get any more out of it than you put in." This is the way F. W. Marsh, manager of the Maytime Frolic, looks upon the big carnival which is to be staged in Victoria next month. He addressed the Gyro Club at its luncheon to-day.

"If the people will look upon it as a means of getting out to play and having some fun, and content that they will vote the Carnival the finest and best thing the city of Victoria ever had," he stated.

The speaker went over the programme telling of the various days and also dealing with the financial arrangements.

Mr. Marsh said that he expected the revenue to be derived from the Queen contest will be far greater than the estimate. The rivalry is becoming very keen.

Queen of Defence
"Why on Saturday Lieut. Gland came to see me and said that the Army and Navy must have a Queen as interest was fast-high for one," declared Mr. Marsh. He told of a special meeting of the committee and the Army and Navy were admitted to the contest and will boost their own Queens. They agreed to accept the handicap of a late start and are quite confident that they will be able to overhaul those who got away several days earlier.

Mr. Marsh congratulated the Gyros for the choice of their Queen and wished them every success in the race.

Gyro Jack Barton, manager of the Gyro campaign, warned the members that they have to get to work and work in order that their candidate might be elected the queen of clubs.

"You've just got to work your heads off, and don't worry about the returns you see posted in the windows because we're going to be at the winning post, don't worry," he stated.

Mrs. Styles Sehl, the Gyro Queen, delighted the club with a solo. W. V. Jones also sang.

NO FIGURES SAY QUEEN COMMITTEES

The polling for the Maytime Frolic continued unabated to-day. The Rotary Club retained its lead at noon to-day, according to the order given out by the committee upon a count of the returned stubs at that hour.

The Hudson's Bay Company candidate sprang back into second place, followed by the Civil Service entry, and the Canadian Pacific Railway standardbearer. The order, as announced by the committee at noon, was as follows:

1. Rotary Club
2. Hudson's Bay
3. Civil Service
4. P. H. B.
5. C. P. R.
6. B. A. Paint
7. Stevensons
8. Kumtula
9. City Hall
10. Veterans
11. Navy—no returns
12. Doris

In new rules promulgated to-day the committee has decided to announce no further figures to the press, their place will be given to the standing order of each candidate in the contest as learned from a count of the stubs of tickets sold up to noon each day. The Navy has entered Miss Amy Davies in the race to carry the white ensign of all naval ratings in the port, and the Army, not to be outdone, entered Miss Doris in the contest. The colors of the active and permanent militia. The committee had no returns to-day from either of the two mentioned candidates. But as their standing to-day was not expected to rank with the others who had been canvassing for several days.

The committee was also silent on the total number of votes sold, but it is known to be well over 100,000, and sweeping up to the 150,000 mark. As each ticket accounts for ten votes and sells for ten cents the carnival funds have acquired aid to that extent of \$1000 is looked for from the queen contest. The Rotary candidate attained the first prize offered for the highest total during the week. A similar prize is to be offered at the same hour on Saturday next.

The fact that there are now thirty-five candidates in the contest, and all contestants are striving to keep clear of the bottom berth. The Navy candidate had 27,810 votes at 2:30 o'clock.

DINNER FOR MAYTIME QUEENS

The Knights of Pythias will have a float in the Maytime Frolic parade. Notice to this effect was received this morning by Manager Fred Marsh. It was accompanied by a promise that the Knights would do everything possible to make the festival a success.

A meeting of the members of all the committees connected with the festival will be held at the City Hall at 8 p. m. Tuesday for a general discussion of the contest, including a dinner some day this week, at which the contesting queens will be introduced to all the members of the committees, including the citizens' committee. This dinner will probably take the place of the luncheon arranged for when the citizens met at breakfast last week.

CANNOT GIVE TIME TO PUBLIC

The B. C. Telephone Company, writing to the Chamber of Commerce to-day, announced to the directors that the company, after further consideration felt bound to adhere to its decision not to tell subscribers the time. The giving of this service, said the letter, would necessarily be an interference with the connecting of subscribers as rapidly as possible.

Condition of Malahat.
The Duncan Board of Trade suggested a memorial to the Provincial Public Works Department asking that the Malahat Summit Road be put and kept in good condition. A resolution was adopted accordingly, and the Duncan Board of Trade will be so advised.

Postage Charges.
Kamloops Board of Trade asked the Chamber to join in a protest against the existing postage rates by which four cents were paid to Great Britain and only three cents to the United States or Mexico. The matter was left over for a week, to give the members chance to think about it before joining in any protest or request for a change.

To Consider Question.
Vice-President Schwenger suggested that one or two definite objectives be selected and the Chamber bend its energies especially towards these during the year. The idea met with approval. The luncheon meeting two weeks from to-day will be devoted to the consideration of the year's programme.

Catering.
Robert Booth was awarded the contract to cater for the Chamber. **Anacortes Ferry.** The secretary reported that the formal opening of the Anacortes ferry would take place May 1. About 150 guests will be here from Anacortes and will be the guests of the Publicity Bureau at luncheon.

Summer Music.
F. Landberg, chairman of the Band Concerts Committee, reported that to give one hundred concerts during the Summer would cost \$10,000. The city had voted \$2,000 for band concerts. The report suggested that the City Council be asked to increase this to \$3,000. Mr. Landberg explained that the bands would undertake to raise \$2,000, and that \$500 could be obtained from the sale of programmes. The rest would have to be obtained by subscriptions. The report was adopted.

Customs Agent.
R. J. Cronin wrote urging action toward having a Canadian Customs Agent at New York. C. P. W. Schwenger said constant efforts had been made to get this accomplished. It was a question whether it would be better to have such an agent or to get a line of steamers between Atlantic and Pacific ports.

"I happen to know," remarked Edwin Thomson, "that the Canadian National is seriously considering putting on such a line of steamers."

"The Canadian Government has sent out a questionnaire asking for traffic there would be for such a line, with a view to putting on a service."

Mr. Cronin's letter was referred to the trade and transportation committee, with power to act.

A resolution of condolence with the family of the late H. A. Davis was adopted. As many as possible of the directors were asked to attend the funeral this afternoon.

VALEDICTORY TO REV. DR. PRICE

Wonderful Tribute of Ministerial Association

At the farewell banquet given to Rev. Dr. Price to-day by the members of the Ministerial Association, the popular leader and evangelist left with the people his blessing and love. He assured them of the great love he felt for them, and the new he had of their prayers and good will for his future undertakings. Dr. Price will leave this afternoon for the Mainland to continue his campaign in Vancouver and he assured his many friends here of his faith and assurance that he will do as great good in Vancouver as he has done here, in the name of God.

Rev. Dr. W. G. Wilson addressed the banquet gathering, and spoke of the fact that they had met together to pay tribute to Dr. Price. He called upon Baptist and Methodist ministers to say a few words in farewell to Dr. Price.

Rev. Dr. Sippell expressed his personal gratitude to Mrs. David Spence and Mrs. Carl Penderay for the many unselfish actions they have undertaken during the campaign, and the very great aid they have been to Dr. Price's successful enterprise.

The Commandant of the Salvation Army said a few words in farewell to the Evangelist, and expressed his personal gratitude and that of the great international army which he represented.

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chosen for some of them which compares in its physical features with their homeland, the Hebrideans went out yesterday afternoon with smiling countenances, glad their long voyage was over and keenly expecting in their outlook toward the country which they believe offers them greater prosperity than they have previously known.

Mr. McMillan emphasized one point in his conversation. It was that Hebrideans did not propose to give up Gaelic. They would retain their own language as well as speaking English, he said. He hoped they would soon have at Red Deer their own church and school.

FOOTBALL CONTESTS
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not only football but all other contests of a similar nature.

In Winnipeg.
Winnipeg, April 30.—A test case which will decide the value of football competitions conducted by local weekly papers and which is expected to have a strong bearing on competitions conducted in other western cities was opened here to-day when Henry Hill, business manager of "The Badge," was charged in the city police court with conducting a common betting house.

After twelve witnesses had been heard, the case was adjourned for one week to permit the defence counsel to call additional witnesses.

SOVIET RECEIVES OFFER FROM TOKIO
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"A Foreign Office statement says the Government on March 30 and April 24 received official proposals from the Japanese Government about a partial renewal of Russo-Japanese relations preliminary to conclusion of a definite convention.

Japan in the proposals announced that she considered desirable an immediate exchange of commercial agents, Japan to send agents to Moscow, Vladivostok, Nikolai, Chita, Blagoveshchensk, and Petropavlovsk, and Russia to send agents to Yokohama, Nagasaki, Teuruga and Genoa. Each communication would have three assistants, or the number would be increased by mutual agreement.

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Another beautiful set, a \$325.00 Walnut Veneer Bed Set, dresser, chiffonette, dressing table and D. T. stool, cut to **TWO FORTY-EIGHT.**

Another that was priced at \$296.00, but should have been higher, is now marked down to **TWO SIXTEEN.**

A \$70.00 Parlor Set, rich mahogany finish, reduced to **FIFTY-TWO.**

A WIDER FIELD FOR THE G.W.V.A.

Dominion—Command Celebrates Its Sixth Anniversary

Ottawa, April 30.—The Dominion command of the Great War Veterans' Association on Saturday celebrated the sixth anniversary of its establishment as a national institution. The association was brought into existence by the amalgamation of some 200 soldiers' clubs and local associations which was accomplished at a national convention held in Winnipeg.

In commenting upon the anniversary occasion, C. G. MacNeill, Dominion secretary, stated that he believed there was a far greater need at the present time for the G.W.V.A. than there had been in any year since its formation.

"The past year in our history has been a notable one, inasmuch as we were called upon to defend rights and privileges for ex-service men and dependents which we were largely instrumental in establishing during preceding years," he declared. "We had made tentative preparations for the expansion of our nationalization programme, which aims at the fostering of greater appreciation on the part of Canadians of their national institutions and greater faith in their own ability to develop the country, but this necessarily had to give way to our first duty, which is the welfare of the disabled and the dependents."

Mr. MacNeill pointed out that the great proportion of the 900 local branches and provincial and district commands of the G. W. V. A. had already entered upon the development of community service. He expressed the hope that the association would soon be able to demonstrate more fully its value to the national life, other than in the championship of the cause of veterans and their dependents.

Pointing to the past efforts of the Dominion command, Mr. MacNeill said that more than a quarter of a million veterans and dependents had sought the services of the association on individual adjustments during the last six years.

NOT WANTED AS LIBERAL LEADER

Lloyd George Not a Good Choice, Writes R. D. Holt, Liverpool

London, April 30.—R. D. Holt, the well-known Liverpool shipowner, writes to the press that if Liberalism means anything of value, it involves utter condemnation of the whole spirit of Lloyd George's Government from 1916 until its forced dissolution last Autumn.

It is impossible, writes Mr. Holt, for Lloyd George to be an honest ally of Liberalism in pursuing a Liberal policy when it is obvious that he aspires to this position only because he has been rejected by the Tories as an ally in pursuit of a Tory policy.

"Liberals can have no place for a man with Lloyd George's record in politics," he writes.

PAYS FIFTY CENTS ON THE DOLLAR

Hoffman, Ticket Agency, Winnipeg, Makes Settlement

Winnipeg, April 30.—A compromise at the rate of fifty cents on the dollar has been made by Max Hoffman, president of the defunct Max Hoffman Company, ticket agents, which company failed during February last owing depositors and others more than \$100,000.

Hoffman was the owner of the ticket agency and banking establishment, where a great many of the foreign population had money on deposit. The company failed shortly after the crash of the Dominion Ticket and Financial Corporation, of which A. Schimonek, former partner of Hoffman, was president.

There will be a special meeting of The Victoria and District Rabbit Breeders' Association, at the Y.M.C.A. on Tuesday at 8 p.m.

THRONES SAW NEW MONUMENT

War Memorial in Brussels Unveiled by Prince of Wales

Brussels, April 30 (Canadian Press cable via Reuters).—Anglo-Belgian war-time associations were vividly recalled on the occasion Saturday of the unveiling by the Prince of Wales in the palace square of the memorial from the British people in honor of Belgium's efforts in the war. The population lacked nothing in enthusiasm. Dense cheering crowds lined the streets, which were ablaze with bunting and Belgian and British flags.

The climax of the excitement came when the Prince, accompanied by King Albert, arrived at the palace, which was resplendent with uniforms and flags. Above the stir attending the ceremony could be heard the droning of aeroplanes in a cloudless sky.

The crowd thronged inward as the Prince pulled a cord releasing the intertwined British and Belgian flags, revealing the magnificent monument. The massed bands played the National Anthem, while the Prince stood at the salute, after which, in a short address, he gave over the monument to King Albert as a symbol of British gratitude for Belgian assistance in the war.

King Albert, in reply, spoke of the indelible memory of the war, cementing the friendship of the two countries. Especially he referred to the British soldiers as "incomparable warriors who turned the Ypres salient into an unshakable bastion of the allied lines" and illustrated the heroism of their race.

OPIUM CHARGES IN VANCOUVER

Two Chinese From a Ship Arrested by Detectives

Vancouver, April 30.—Detectives D. A. Sinclair and J. Ricci, and James Barton, a special customs officer, yesterday seized alleged opium valued at \$275 and arrested Nook Chan, forty-two, and Chan Toy, forty-one, who claimed to be sailors, on charges of having narcotics in possession.

According to the police, the seizure consisted of thirty-five tins of the highest grade opium and was secreted on the men in cleverly constructed vests and pockets formed in the legs of their trousers. One man had seventeen tins and the other eighteen, it was reported.

For some time past Detectives Sinclair and Ricci had been endeavoring to follow down information that opium was being smuggled ashore from vessels in the harbor and delivered to a house in the 700 block of Tender Street.

Yesterday further information was received that a quantity of opium had just been landed, so, calling on Customs Officer Barton, they proceeded to the house under suspicion and made a fruitless search.

The search had just been concluded, they say, when Nook Chan and Chan Toy were seen approaching.

Detective Ricci, who is reputed to know every Chinaman in the city by sight, declared they were strangers and they were accosted and searched.

The search, police say, resulted in the discovery that each man was wearing a light vest beneath his outer clothing and these vests contained tins of opium in pockets constructed to hold each tin separately.

Other tins were found on the Orientals, say the officers, in pockets formed by binding the legs of their underwear at the ankles.

Police say that the opium is of the highest grade ever brought to this city and would retail here at \$65 to \$70 a tin.

The arrested men apparently spoke but little English, and it was not definitely ascertained to what ship they belonged, but it is expected this will be cleared up to-day.

Further seizures may result from these arrests, say police officials.

PRESIDENT OF U.S. ADDRESSED EDITORS

Denied Bankers Influenced Proposal U.S. Join World Court

Washington, April 30.—Speaking intimately as an editor to editors, President Harding, in an address Saturday night before the American Society of Newspaper Editors, declared that he was without truth statements that the administration had proposed American membership in the Permanent Court of International Justice at the behest of international bankers.

The President touched upon a number of subjects of special interest to the editors of the country and said he would "rather be a newspaper publisher than anything else in the world." For that reason, he added, he was going to remain publisher of The Marion Star "until they settle up my estate."

WOMEN'S LIBERAL CLUBS TO FEDERATE

Ottawa Club Starts Movement for Canada-wide Organization

Ottawa, April 30.—At a special meeting Saturday of the Ottawa Women's Liberal Club it was resolved that the club should take the initial steps toward the formation of a national federation of women's Liberal clubs some time during the year 1925. The club itself will not undertake the work of preparation for this Dominion gathering, but will lend its aid as an active unit. It is proposed that a start be made by having the wives and daughters of the Liberal parliamentary contingent appoint a committee of one from each of the nine provinces, with three additional from each of the provinces of Ontario and Quebec.

COMMONS DISORDERS DECLARED MISTAKE

British Labor Leader Says He Detests Disturbances in House

London, April 30 (Canadian Press cable).—Ramsay MacDonald, leader of the Labor Party, writing in the current issue of The Socialist Review, boldly asserts his views on the recent disorders in the House of Commons, when there were personal encounters between Conservative and Labor members for which Mr. MacDonald's followers were held to be chiefly responsible.

"I detest these scenes," writes the Labor leader. "One heated outburst of a man can lead the legitimate calls of 'Adjourn' into the badly-sung strains of 'Rule Britannia' or 'The Red Flag' or 'Tipperary' or astute and not only make a fool of himself, but degrade everyone associated with him. Fascism was stimulated into life by Communist tactics."

SENATOR NELSON, UNITED STATES, DIED

Minnesota Man Was Oldest in U.S. Upper House

Washington, April 30.—The death last night of Knute Nelson, senior Senator from Minnesota, aboard a train en route to Chicago, removed from the Senate its oldest member and one of those with the longest service record. He was eighty years old and had served twenty-eight years.

Senator Nelson, although ill last Winter with influenza, was active during the last session of Congress, and yesterday when he left Washington for his home he appeared in excellent health, although the death of his wife a year ago had greatly depressed him. Those who were closest to him said he never fully recovered from that blow.

Senator Nelson was a Civil War veteran and worked hard, especially during the Great War, in pushing legislation dealing with Americanization. The Espionage Act was one of the bills he fought for. He was chairman of the Judiciary Committee and a member of the Commerce Committee. He reported the Dyer Anti-Lynching Bill, which failed of passage, and the Child Labor Constitutional Amendment.

PRAIRIE WHEAT BOARD PLAN

Saskatchewan-Alberta Board May Operate in Manitoba

Winnipeg, April 30.—Attorney-General R. W. Craig announced today that a bill was being drafted to give the wheat board that may be established by Saskatchewan and Alberta power to operate in Manitoba and to enable the farmers of the province who so desire to transact business through it.

The bill will be submitted to a caucus of the United Farmers' Party this week, to decide whether it will be brought down or not. Such legislation was suggested by Attorney-General Craig just prior to the defeat of the compulsory wheat board in the Manitoba Legislature on Friday.

Difficulties. The rejection of the wheat board bill by the Manitoba Legislature will put difficulties in the way of operating such a board by Alberta and Saskatchewan, if they decided to do so, in the opinion of G. F. Chipman, editor of The Grain Growers Guide, of Winnipeg, who is in this city.

If Alberta and Saskatchewan bring a wheat board into effect, it means that since practically all prairie wheat is marketed through Fort William, the wheat from Alberta and Saskatchewan will have to compete on a closed market system with wheat from Manitoba on an open market system. It is a matter of speculation as to how this will work out, Mr. Chipman said.

\$15,000 DAMAGES AGAINST "HOUSE OF DAVID" AWARDED

Grand Rapids, Mich., April 30.—Religion was used as a cloak for immorality by Benjamin F. Purnell, leader of the House of David colony at Benton Harbor, Michigan, Judge John E. Sater, of Columbus, Ohio, declared in an opinion filed in federal court here awarding damages approximating \$15,000 to John W. Hanes and his family of Nashville, Tenn.

The plaintiffs, former members of the colony, had sued for \$50,000, which they claimed represented the value of property donated to the colony and labor performed during their nine years' membership.

Purnell not only betrayed a number of young girls and women in the name of religion, but taught his followers to perjure themselves and stifled threatened investigations, the court declares.

"Because of secrecy enjoined by Purnell upon his victims," the opinion adds, "knowledge of his relations with them did not extend to the members of the society excepting a relatively few."

A low moral tone, moral offences and petty theft have existed in the colony and have gone unpunished and in almost all cases unrebuked, the court holds. Referring to the teachings of Purnell, the court declares that his utterances, oral and printed, given out to the general public and to members of the colony when collectively assembled, do not conform to his real teachings to an inner circle and to the manner of life prevailing within such circle.

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the radio, according to The Comox Argus. Roy Brown has been making a short stay in Courtenay but has now returned to Duncan Bay to complete the installation of a radio, set at Duncan Bay on Vancouver Island, and Theodosia on Theodosia Arm, where they will make their new camp.

While working at Duncan Bay Mr. Brown has picked up Whitehorse in the Yukon Territory.

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THE LAST DAY.

Dominion income tax returns must be filed with the local taxation authorities by seven o'clock this evening. This is the last day for the purpose. Those who fail to comply with the widely published instructions will render themselves liable to a penalty. For the convenience of the public the office in the Post Office building will remain open until the time specified above.

Nobody enjoys this annual job and there is no particular thrill in paying up. But if it is irksome to the people of this country what must it be like to the people of Great Britain? We grumble about four per cent. They have to grin and bear very nearly twenty-five per cent. Both treasuries need all the money they can collect.

PRESIDENT HARDING'S DIFFICULTIES.

If some of President Harding's editorial and political friends are inclined to side-step the more serious considerations that have exercised and will continue to exercise the Republican mind while the International Court of Justice remains a new issue in American politics, The New York Herald employs no niceties in its reference to the "political strategy" that is inextricably wrapped up in the principle involved. It observes in part as follows:

But considered entirely apart from the merits of the question of committing ourselves to an international court, how about the political strategy of the Republican Party, the great opponent of the League of Nations, advocating America's adherence to a League of Nations court?

Which encourages The New York World to suggest that the foreign policy of the Republican Party has been a matter of "political strategy" for more than four years. It goes back to the "round robin" or partisan manoeuvre intended to discredit President Wilson at the Peace Conference in 1919 and declares that when the President, in co-operation with Mr. Taft, revised the covenant of the League of Nations to meet objections raised in the "round robin," Lodge and his associates ignored the changes and began to mobilize the hyphenated vote.

In support of its contention The World points out that the Sinn Fein were inflamed on the pretext that the Covenant of the League would compel the United States to support Great Britain in crushing Irish freedom. The Germans were aroused by the argument that the League was created to enforce the punitive clauses of the Treaty of Versailles. The Italians were urged to resist the League because the President had refused to permit the annexation of Fiume; the Hungarians because of Transylvania; and Americans in general on the fantastic argument that the League was a military alliance under which their country would be obliged to fight Europe's battles single-handed.

None better than the President himself understands the size of the job he has taken on. He will get lots of advice and plenty of grumbles from his own political friends. But he has very completely ignored Senator Watson's advice to "centre the attention of the country on home affairs and keep international issues out of the campaign, especially anything that suggests the acrimonious fight over the League of Nations." Very probably he is now convinced that the quarrel in the Republican Party about the World Court is largely artificial. After all it must be admitted that the Republican Senators who oppose American participation in the Court are considerably influenced by no higher motive than the desire to be consistent. They fought the League of Nations and they think that they ought to fight anything that relates to the League of Nations. There are also those who know that the quarrel in the Republican Party about economic questions is real.

There is undoubtedly a large body of public opinion in the United States in favor of American participation in the World Court. Many of the objections are purely fictitious. Organized demagogues in the Senate might easily inflame the passions of the hyphenated voters; but it is hardly likely that it could be done as successfully as it was in 1919 unless Mr. Harding himself fled from the issue. On the other hand he is more fortunate than Mr. Wilson was. He knows that the Democratic Senators are standing by their principles; many of them will support him; they will not emulate the tactics which Lodge employed and repudiate, for partisan purposes, a policy which they previously advocated.

In any case Great Britain will watch with more than ordinary interest the progress of the campaign upon which Mr. Harding has just started. The general public is looking with hope to the United States to show more interest in the Old World's troubles and to take a hand in settling them. They see in that a guarantee of permanent peace.

MINERAL PRODUCTION.

There is matter for considerable congratulation in the figures for last year's mineral production in British Columbia. Only three times in the mining history of the Province has the value of the output been greater for a similar period. The actual increase in 1922 over the preceding year is just over \$7,000,000 and the total stands at \$45,155,843.

These figures are really considerably more important and encouraging than the returns for those years in which direct and indirect war-time needs influenced production in this part of the

world. Both in 1916 and in 1918, when the output exceeded the \$40,000,000 mark, stimulated demand and high prices were responsible for the big showing. Last year's output, however, is a case of wider development under normal conditions. In this fact lies the importance of such a healthy increase over 1921.

It is worth noting that mining activity so far this year gives promise of establishing a new record. Information already in the hands of the Department indicates that the \$40,000,000 mark will be passed fairly easily. This is highly encouraging and should form a topic for discussion by those people in British Columbia who look idly on while foreign capital comes in and earns dividends which they might earn for themselves.

KEEPING RUSSIA OUT.

Soviet Russia's official protest against being "arbitrarily kept out" of the Lausanne Conference will disturb nobody. She only has herself to thank for her exclusion. Her representatives took part in the previous deliberations because it was recognized that Russia has certain rights in the Dardanelles and is interested in any conditions that shall govern the future of this important waterway. From an international standpoint the situation has not changed. She can sign the Straits Convention and then enter the Conference.

The Soviet delegates do not impress their colleagues in convention with any special desire to reach equitable understandings; they usually assume the role of dictators and do more clumsy demanding than anything else. This is almost enough to put an embargo on participation in the gathering that is now under way, and her exclusion on this occasion might well take the form of a plain intimation that the representatives of civilized nations are sometimes particular about the company they keep.

The murder of Vice-General Butchkevitch and the recent behavior of the Soviet Administration in general have shocked most people. They demand that Russia mend her ways and earn that regard and consideration to which other nations are entitled.

STEADY PROGRESS.

While uninformed and clumsy apostles of gloom are warning people in the Old Country to give this part of the world a wide berth we would direct the attention of our readers to the fact that the bank clearings for this "deserted village" for the month that closed with this day's business were \$300,000 in excess of the total for the corresponding month last year. It may also be noted that indications of a more hopeful form of progress are to be discovered in the fact that the month's banking business represents the first gain so far this year over any month in the first four of 1922. If this barometer is not reliable enough for members of the Crepe Hangers' Union we are afraid we shall have to leave them to be happy in their own misery.

NOTE AND COMMENT

Berlin announces the fact that Germany lost 1,846,293 dead in the Great War. Yet there are still those who would bring back the melancholy gentleman at Doorn and put him in charge of the "cannon fodder" again.

Women of Deal have combined to resist the excessive prices of household necessities. When the women get busy they seldom fail to win their objective. How would it be if the women of this city formed a housewives' union to popularize the local product?

One of the Doukhobor bishops wandered into Nelson a few days ago and proceeded to attract attention in the fashion peculiar to the tribe. Until he consented to put on his clothes he was a guest at the City Jail. Another proof of the slow death of old habits!

Victoria's building business is increasing; Victoria's banking business is growing; Victoria's business generally is on the up-grade; provincial conditions are more encouraging than they have been since the days of 1910-12; the mineral output for 1923 bids fair to smash records created by war-time demands and abnormal prices; will our blue ruin disciples mark these things?

Although the phrase is beginning to suffer from overwork the people of this Province cannot be told too often that British Columbia and the country as a whole need more people. Mr. Pattullo has devoted a good deal of time and thought to the subject of immigration and if the Province is to benefit in consequence a good deal more co-operation and less unintelligent criticism will be essential. We must be content with our share of the fair average of peoples who will come from other lands. There will be a number of square pegs in round holes; but it is no good thinking about hand-picked immigration.

OUR CONTEMPORARIES

THE WEST NEEDS A CROP.

Toronto Star:—Out West people would much prefer to whistle and be cheerful at their work, and would gladly become optimists if any sort of inducement were given them. But thousands of homesteaders are up against difficulties that can't be whistled away. Never in its history did the West stand in greater need of a bumper harvest than this year, and not that alone, but every contributory aid that finance, transportation and governmental leadership can give it in 1923.

U. S. AND EUROPE.

Perth Mail (West Australia):—At the moment the official world of the United States less than ever seems disposed to take a helping hand in the work of world reconstruction. "Tis true, 'tis pity, and pity 'tis, 'tis true. Until America does rise to a sense of her obligations and with the rest of the nations, allied and enemy nations alike, comes to realize that the times demand mutual co-operation, we can hope for little improvements in world affairs now imminently threatened with a descent to the abyss of ruin.

Other People's Views

Letters addressed to the Editor and intended for publication must be short and legibly written. The longer an article the shorter the chance of insertion. All communications must give the name and address of the writer, but not for publication unless the owner desires the publication or rejection of articles is a matter entirely in the discretion of the Editor. No responsibility is assumed by the paper for MSS. submitted to the Editor.

THE ORIENTAL QUESTION

To the Editor:—On several occasions certain letters have appeared in the Victoria Daily Colonist over the signature of H. Hastings in which he intimates that the question of regarding influence in our public schools was started in the Chamber of Commerce and School Board in such a way as to lead some people to believe that such is the case. So far I have refrained from entering any controversy with Mr. Hastings through the press. However, as it has been brought to my attention on several occasions through business, I feel it is only fair to assure my friends that while I was a member of the Chamber of Commerce at the time the Oriental question was discussed, I did not attend any such meeting nor was I on any such committee, nor did I discuss this question at any time in the Chamber of Commerce or with any of its members outside of those on the School Board.

I shall be glad to meet Mr. Hastings at any time and prove to him through the Chamber of Commerce that what I say is correct, and in the meantime ask him kindly to refrain from using my name in any way to further his cause with those whom he appears to be interested.

PERCY R. BROWN
Victoria, B.C., April 30, 1923.

The WEATHER
Daily Bulletin Published by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, April 30.—5 a. m.—The barometer remains low over Northern B. C. and showery, mild weather is becoming general. Snow is reported in Alberta.

Reports.
Victoria—Barometer, 29.96; temperature, maximum yesterday, 55; minimum, 42; wind, 2 miles S.; weather, cloudy.
Vancouver—Barometer, 29.98; temperature, maximum yesterday, 56; minimum, 42; wind, 4 miles E.; weather, cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.92; temperature, maximum yesterday, 55; minimum, 32; wind, 4 miles S. E.; rain, trace; weather, cloudy.
Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.44; temperature, maximum yesterday, 45; minimum, 36; wind, 16 miles S. E.; rain, 1.25; weather, cloudy.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 29.92; temperature, maximum yesterday, 55; minimum, 40; wind, 18 miles S.; rain, 1.4; weather, raining.
Bromont—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 48; minimum, 34; snow, 10 ins.

Temperature.
Max. Min.
Parkerville 49 30
Penikese 48 29
Nelson 48 29
Qu'Appelle 48 28
Winnipeg 48 29
Toronto 51 31
Ottawa 51 31
Montreal 51 31
St. John 51 31
Halifax 46 28

SEED PUT IN BY PRAIRIE FARMERS

Regina, April 30.—With several continued days of warm weather, seeding is again in full swing in the southern part of Saskatchewan under ideal conditions of climate and soil. In most districts in the southern part of the province seeding will be general this week and at many points seeding was resumed Saturday, according to crop reports received here.

Winnipeg, April 30.—Seeding is fairly general in the south and southwest parts of Manitoba, according to reports reaching the Department of Agriculture, and should be general all over the province this week. No reports of seeding having commenced in the southwest and north have yet been received.

BODY FOUND ON GRAVE

Winnipeg, April 30.—The body of Joseph Martovitch, a Riverton, Man., merchant, was found lying across his wife's grave in the Jewish cemetery here yesterday with a bullet in his head. Martovitch, who was about forty years old, recently had told friends that life was not worth living since his wife died about three years ago.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

Victoria Daily Times, April 30, 1898.

Hongkong, April 29.—Manila Bay has been heavily fortified in expectation of coming clashes between Spanish and American squadrons. It is reported here. The Spanish fleet is cruising off Manila. There is no sign of the American ships.

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MARRIED AT SOMENOS

St. Mary's Church, Somenos, was the scene of a very pretty wedding Saturday afternoon when Miss Molly Greaves, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Greaves, and granddaughter of the late Major and Mrs. Muttter, Somenos, became the bride of Mr. Hugh Parker, Victoria. The church was beautifully decorated with cedar, dogwood and cherry blossoms by Miss Skinner, Mrs. T. Muttter, Mrs. Craig and Mr. Melville. The bride looked particularly charming in a simple girlish gown of white silk Canton crepe, with the traditional veil and orange blossoms. The bride's sister, Madeleine, acted as bridesmaid and looked sweet in a dainty blue figured voile frock and white hat trimmed with pink roses. After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's grandmother, Mrs. Muttter. Mr. and Mrs. Parker left by motor for California. The bride wearing a periwinkle blue frock, a most becoming grey hat and veil and a handsome brook and white hat had been sent to her from England by the bridegroom's sister, Mrs. W. H. Arlington. The bridegroom's gift to the bride was a beautiful string of pearls and to the bridesmaid a gold brooch.

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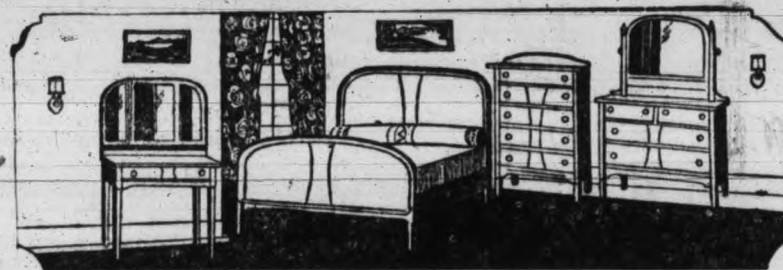
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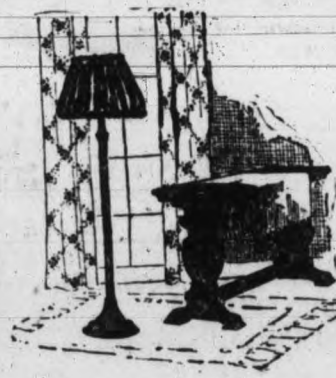
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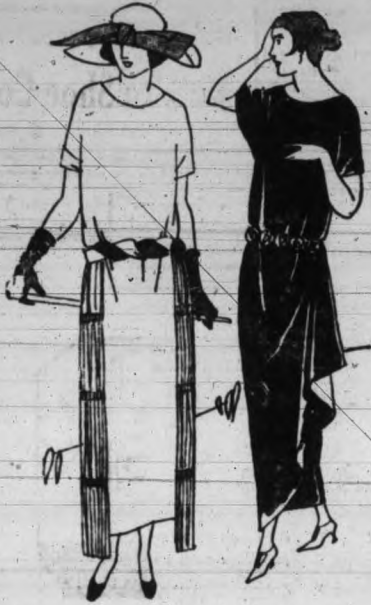
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—Mantles, First Floor



Misses' Sports Skirts—\$5.75 to \$9.50

Misses' Sports Skirts, in styles and colors that are favorites this season. Suitable for street or sports wear. There are many colors, including cream. Sizes for 12 to 16 years, and good values at **\$5.75** to **\$9.50**

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1605	9890	1608
Size 36 Requires	Size 36 Requires	Size 36 Requires
2 1/2 yards Printed Crepe at \$2.50	2 yards of 54-Inch Serge at \$1.59	3 1/2 yards 36-Inch Satin at \$2.50
1/2 yard 36-Inch Satin to bind at \$1.98	2 1/2 yards 36-Inch Silk for lining at \$1.35	1 1/2 yards 36-Inch Silk for bodice at \$1.35
2 yards of 4 1/2 Ribbon at 75c	1 Jacket Pattern	1 Skirt Pattern
1 Blouse Pattern	1 Embroidery Pattern	Findings
Findings	Findings	Findings
\$9.28	\$8.26	\$10.41

1635	1609
Size 36 Requires	Size 36 Requires
2 1/2 yards of 40-Inch Crepe de Chine at \$1.98	1 1/2 yards of 40-Inch Crepe de Chine at \$1.98
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—Main Floor

Women's Neckwear—Sets and Pieces—98c

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—Main Floor



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Arm Rockers to match, at **\$9.50**

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Arm Rocking Chairs to match, at **\$9.50**

—Furniture, Second Floor

A Special Offering of Men's Socks All This Week

Men's Fine All-Wool Cashmere Socks, British made, in shades of blue, grey, Lovat, purple, coating, etc. They have embroidered silk clox in contrasting shades. All sizes, a pair **\$1.25**

Men's Black Cashmere Socks, with silk embroidered clox; all sizes, a pair, **\$1.00**

Men's All-Wool Cashmere Socks, British made, in all colors and black. Sizes 9 1/2 to 11 1/2, a pair **\$1.00**

Men's Fine Summer Worsted Socks, with fancy rib. Shown in Lovat shades and in brown, grey, coating, navy blue and black. Sizes 10 to 12. Special at **90¢**

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Black and Colored Cashmere Socks, all-wool, Summer weights **75¢**

Silkoline or Lisle Socks, for Summer wear, in colors and black. Special value, 2 pairs for **75¢**

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2 pairs for **\$1.25**

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Penman's Fine Thread Silk Socks, with reinforced feet and fancy embroidered clox; navy blue, brown and black. Special at **\$1.25**

Penman's Pure Wool Cashmere Socks, in grey, brown or sand, with silk embroidered clox in contrasting colors. Special at **75¢**

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IN WOMAN'S DOMAIN

W.D.A. MARATHON PAGEANT IN JUNE

One Thousand Participants in Spectacle to Be Staged in Vancouver

The grand Marathon Pageant of the Women's Benefit Association taking place in the West in May and June of this year has an added attraction for local residents since the fact has been made known that members of the Association and their friends may send in requests for invitations to the Pageant to be sent to their own personal friends—residing in Los Angeles, Portland, Seattle or Vancouver, the points where the Pageant is to be staged.

Specially dyed costumes for one thousand participants have been colored an experienced artist through every range of color for the "Procession of the Years" in which world events and Association history for the past thirty years will be portrayed. In five-year groups, led by standard bearers, the costumes of the various troupes take their place around the beautiful rose emblem of the Association in the centre of the stadium.

Dr. E. M. Hiner and his famous Los Angeles band of sixty pieces has a specially prepared score of music for this historic event. A massed guard drill with one thousand specially costumed guards, state division cornetists with ten division cheer leaders and a master cheer leader and marathon cornetist to herald each event will combine to present a pageant—program of singular beauty. Each participant will wear her own state color and all states will be seated by divisions, each with its own color, making a beautiful rainbow effect. It will require three thousand costumed participants to present the Marathon Pageant.

A letter addressed to Miss Bina M. West, the organizer and supreme commander of the Women's Benefit Association, at Port Huron, Michigan, giving the name and address and city to which an invitation is desired, will be given every attention and an invitation will be immediately sent.

At Portland, Seattle and Vancouver this programme will be duplicated in state theatrical events and the special local features now being planned will make up a programme which probably has never been duplicated in this country by a similar group of women. Madam Emma J. Garrett, Mary Ball, Jane Galbraith, Winifred, Burnette, Schmeitz, Wilkinson, Farley, Manson and Vincent, of Victoria; Madam Editha of Cumberland, and Addison, of Nanaimo, leave in May for Los Angeles. The Supreme Officers and delegates will arrive in Victoria June 14 and hold a day's session June 15 at the Empress Hotel.

MISS EVA LOEWEN MARRIED TO-DAY

Vancouver, April 30.—One of the loveliest and most fashionable of the Spring weddings was solemnized at St. Paul's Anglican Church, Vancouver, this morning when Miss Eva Maude Loewen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Loewen, 2340 Burnaby St., became the bride of Rev. James Stewart Turkington, of Agassiz. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Harold King, assisted by Bishop de Pencier.

The interior of the church was a bower of roses, daffodils, apple and plum blossoms entwined with greenery. The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, looked charming in a white gown of French hand-made georgette and graceful veil of filmy white tulle caught in place with a coronet of orange blossoms. She carried a shower bouquet of white lilacs, sweet peas and lilies of the valley. The bridesmaid, Miss Louise Verney Warren, a cousin of the bride, wore a lovely frock of pink voile and broad pink hat with lilacs and sweet peas. Her bouquet was of pink and mauve sweet peas.

Mr. Melton Ramsey, a friend of the groom, the bride's mother was attended in a handsome gown of dark blue and grey tulle, and grey crepe hat with green flowers.

The wedding music was rendered by Mr. Robinson, the organist of St. Paul's Church, and Mr. Frank Sweetman sang "All Joy Be Thine." Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, the guests being relatives and intimate friends, lilies and other flowers decorated the spacious rooms. Later in the morning the young couple left by motor for a tour of California, the bride wearing a smart suit of pale tan tweed opening over a mauve blouse, and a small mauve hat. Upon their return they will reside at Agassiz.

The bride and bridesmaid are the daughters of the late Col. Falkland Warren, C.B., C.M.G. Among the invited guests from Victoria were: Sir Frank and Lady Barnard, Col. and Mrs. A. W. Jones, Mrs. C. J. Prior, Dr. and Mrs. H. Robertson, Miss Gwen McPhillips, and Miss Isabel Wilson.

Reception at High School.—A reception to parents, under the auspices of the High School P.T. Association and the staff, will be held in the auditorium of the school on Wednesday evening from eight to ten o'clock. Mr. Waddington's choir of children from the Lamson Street School will open the evening's program by giving selections from their repertoire. A most cordial invitation is extended to all parents of High School students, and it is hoped many will avail themselves of this opportunity to meet the members of the staff and become better acquainted with the work of the pupils.

SOCIETY AND PERSONAL

Mr. Peter Wallace, of Vancouver, is registered at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. J. P. Whitney, of Tacoma, is a guest at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. W. A. Ross, of Liverpool, is a guest at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Morrison, of London, England, are staying at the Empress Hotel.

Mrs. J. E. Blandy, of Alberni, is visiting Mrs. and Mr. R. Blandy, 940 Fairfield Road, of Vancouver.

Miss Betty Savannah, who has been visiting friends in Seattle, is returning home to to-day's boat.

Miss Vera MacNaughton has as her guests over the week-end Miss Dorothy Gillespie and Miss Marjorie Shorney, of Vancouver.

Miss Ann Michaels, of McClure Street, left on Saturday for Regina, where she expects to remain for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Wilson returned yesterday after a week's visit in Spokane as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Davenport.

Miss Audrey Rant left yesterday to spend a month's holiday in San Francisco, visiting her sister, Miss Muriel Rant.

The Misses Eva and Elsie Moss were passengers on the Ruth Alexander yesterday and will make the round-trip to San Francisco.

The friends of Mr. Harold M. Digson will be pleased to learn that he is now convalescing after his serious operation.

Mrs. Taylor Wood, of Vancouver, entertained at a delightful informal bridge party Saturday afternoon in honor of Mrs. John Irving, of Victoria.

Miss de Noe Walker left on the Ruth Alexander yesterday afternoon for California, where she will visit friends in Monterey, San Francisco and Carmel-by-the-Sea.

Miss Elsie Menkus has returned to Victoria after spending the past six months in Little Rock, Arkansas, as the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Phelan.

Mrs. J. H. King held a reception in Ottawa last week, a large number of callers paying their respects during the afternoon. Mrs. J. B. Hunter and Mrs. G. Heidman presided at the tea table and the assistance was given by Miss Alma Motherwell and Miss Straith.

Mrs. W. E. Harper, of Victoria, B.C., formerly of Ottawa, is East to visit her mother in Owen Sound and is spending a few days with Mrs. F. C. Elford, of the Experimental Farm, and other old friends. Mr. Harper was connected with the Dominion Observatory here until four years ago, when the observatory was transferred to the larger observatory at Victoria.—Ottawa Citizen.

YOUR HOME AND YOU

By HELEN KENDALL

Windows A-Bloom

In my "garden record" where I keep an account of planting and blooming to guide me in my flower-growing, I find an entry made exactly a year ago to-day.

"Filled the window boxes with pansies and English daisies."

How well I remember their saucy Spring beauty! There was very little color in the garden then, for the first early tulips had come reluctantly into bloom only the day before, as we had had a week of chilly, frosty weather following Easter. The crocuses were all gone and the daffodils were not in sight from the house. And then, all of a sudden, the living-room windows burst into joyous color—brought home from the flower market in a big basket and transplanted directly into the boxes.

Here's a Spring delight that literally everybody may have, living in the country or the city. And why more city folk don't fill their window sills with bloom, I never can understand. In England they do. There's hardly a house, even of the humblest hovel, that doesn't have its surfeit of blossoms. Up and down every street and alley there is a double layer of flowers.

Pansies and the little pink English daisies are so cheap that they are within reach of everyone, and they greatly prefer the cold, brisk air of

Mr. and Mrs. James Gaudin, of Seattle, have been guests in Victoria over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Allister Forbes and family have left for their summer home at Mill Bay. During their absence Dr. and Mrs. Forsyth, of Hongkong, will be resident in their home on Monterey Avenue.

The many friends of Mrs. Eric Boak will regret to hear of the loss she has sustained through the death of her father, Mr. S. S. Edsall, of Bowmanville, Ontario. On the receipt of the sad news Mrs. Boak left for her home in the East.

Mrs. Gowan and Mrs. Blagdon, who have been visiting in Victoria for a short time are leaving to-day for their home in Port Angeles. Miss Edith Geoghegan is also accompanying her sister, and will make her home in Port Angeles in the future.

Mrs. Douglas W. Graham, Macleure Street, is leaving this week for her home at Swift Current, Saskatchewan, to attend the wedding to take place May 16 of her sister, Miss Florence Mody, and Mr. John Cornwall, manager of the Bank of Montreal at Swift Current. Mrs. Graham expects to be absent a month.

On Saturday evening, the Rev. Dr. Campbell at "Brendabane," 1185 Fort Street, celebrated the marriage of Mr. John Lomas and Miss Nora Caswright, both of this city. They were accompanied by Mr. Alexander Lee Stevenson and Mrs. Alice Innis Urquhart. After a honeymoon in the West, Mrs. Lomas will make their home in Victoria.

A quiet wedding took place on Saturday evening at "Brendabane," the minister's residence, when the Rev. Dr. Campbell, officiated at a ceremony which made Miss Iris Blanche Middleton the bride of Mr. Vernon West Ahlers, both of Victoria. The bride looked very pretty in a gown of navy blue satin, trimmed with gold lace, and a picture hat in suite. Mr. and Mrs. Ahlers will make their home in this city.

About \$40 was realized by the Daughters of Pity towards their work in the children's ward at the Jubilee Hospital by the delightful tea held in the Balmoral Hotel on Saturday afternoon by the kindness of Miss Paul. The affair was made more attractive by a musical programme which included items by Miss Murr, Miss Richards, Miss Beth Simpson, Miss Murr and Miss Annie Wright. Miss Lovell sold delicious home-made candy and Mrs. Cassidy disposed of wild flowers to augment the proceeds.

A very enjoyable evening was spent last Thursday when Mrs. A. Simpson and Mrs. J. Watson were joint hostesses at a farewell party given at 611 Superior Street, in honor of Mrs. H. C. Edwards, who left yesterday for a holiday in England. The evening was spent in playing progressive "500," after which a musical programme was carried out. Those present included Mrs. Edwards, Mrs. McClelland, Mrs. Robson, Mrs. J. Johnson, Mrs. J. Watson, Miss Anne Simpson, Messrs. H. C. Edwards, J. Watson, D. Fyvie, F. Aust, E. Follock, J. Roberts and J. Johnson.

Mrs. A. J. Campbell and Miss Jessie Campbell, of Davis Street, left yesterday on an extended visit to Los Angeles.

Captain and Mrs. Basil Combe and Miss Adele Combe are leaving on Tuesday on the Macquarie for the trip up the West Coast.

Word has been received of the arrival on April 24, of an infant daughter at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geoffrey Ludgate (nee Eleanor Taylor) at Oswego, Oregon.

Sir Frank and Lady Barnard and Mrs. Hermann Robertson went over to Vancouver yesterday to attend the wedding of their niece, Miss Eva Loewen this morning.

On Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. Ashley Sparks, Windsor Road, Miss Betty Floyd entertained at a farewell party complementary to Miss Nina Turner, a recent graduate of St. Joseph's Hospital, who is leaving shortly to resume her nursing profession at Juneau. Among those present were Miss Nina Turner, Mrs. Evans, the Misses May Nelson, Phyllis Carter, Mary Walsh, Cecilia Roy, Kathleen Fraser, Dolly McBride, Frances Whillans, Helen Elliott, Dot Riddell, Agnes Lee, Birdie Service, Ellen Lawrence, Vera Casey and Marjorie Haynes.

Mrs. H. A. Goward and Mrs. May Watkins were joint hostesses at a combined bridge and 500 party in the private dining room of the Hudson Bay on Saturday afternoon, the proceeds of which are to augment the funds of the parish of Our Lady of Lourdes. The fortunate winner of the bridge prize donated by Mrs. Hennessey was Mrs. Macdonald, while that of 500 given by Mrs. C. N. Loewen was won by Mrs. Coates. Additional guests were present at the tea hour. Among those present during the afternoon were: Mrs. C. N. Gowan, Mrs. A. Stuart, Robertson, Mrs. Guy Goddard, Mademoiselle Peacock, Mrs. Patton, Mrs. Foot, Mrs. Colgate, Mrs. Tallamy, Mrs. Grogan, Mrs. Lenfesty, Mrs. Orme, Mrs. Cassidy, Mrs. Charlebois, Mrs. Rutter, Mrs. O'Connell, Mrs. Doherty, Mrs. Denham, Mrs. R. L. Miller, Miss Scanlan, Mrs. Briggs, Mrs. Allen, Mrs. McNaughton, Mrs. Seres, Mrs. Townsley, Mrs. Wood, Mrs. Geiger, Mrs. Seal, Mrs. McManus, Mrs. Baines, Mrs. Lee, Mrs. Adam, Mrs. O'Halloran, Miss McKenna, Miss Regan, Mrs. Little, Mrs. Macpherson, Mrs. Hobbs, Mrs. Kissinger, Mrs.

Coates, Mrs. McKillopp, Mrs. Reid. While among those who came in for tea were Mrs. Oats, Mrs. and Miss Ryder, Miss Lottie Bowron, Mrs. Steele, the Misses Steele, Mrs. Colbert, Mrs. G. C. Howell, Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Walsh, Mrs. Knye, the Misses Helen and Bobby Goward and others.

At the First Presbyterian Church on Saturday afternoon the marriage was solemnized by the Rev. W. G. Wilson between Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Mrs. A. Carmichael, and Mr. Hugh C. S. Reston, youngest son of the late Mrs. F. Reston, of Bridge-of-Weir. There was a large congregation composed of friends of the young couple. The bride was given in marriage by her uncle, Mr. Joseph Bennett, and wore ivory Canton satin gown, and wore a crown of orange blossoms and white heather. She carried a bouquet of roses. Her attendants were Miss Olive M. Whalley as bridesmaid, and Miss Marjorie Watt and Miss Agnes Bennett as flower girls. Mr. John Carmichael, brother of the bride, officiated as groomsmen and the ushers were Mr. James Carmichael and Mr. Thomas Bennett. Following the service a reception was held at Caledonia Hall, where one hundred guests sat down to supper, and after the toasts had been proposed dancing took place. Mr. and Mrs. Reston left for Vancouver yesterday and will be spent, and on their return they will reside on Bay Street.

Friendly Help Society.—The monthly meeting of the Friendly Help Association will be held to-morrow (Tuesday) morning at 10.30 in the rooms upstairs, Market Building, Cormorant Street.

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Gigantic Sale of Kitchen Ranges

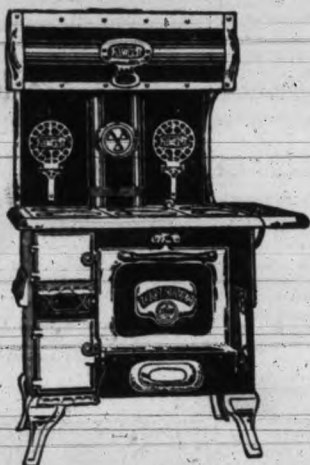
Two Carloads of Them Just Unpacked and Every One Has to Be Sold—and Sold Quickly

—and remember, we bought and paid for these ranges BEFORE the recent big advance. Never! no never! in the history of the range business in this Province has such a slaughter been made on high grade new ranges. You wish to save money—we all do—some are able to, others are less fortunate, but this sale is a case where you are able to. Yes, we'll take your old range in part payment.

Sale Starts Tuesday Morning, May 1

NOTE—Where we say "Regular Prices," they were the regular prices before the recent market jump.

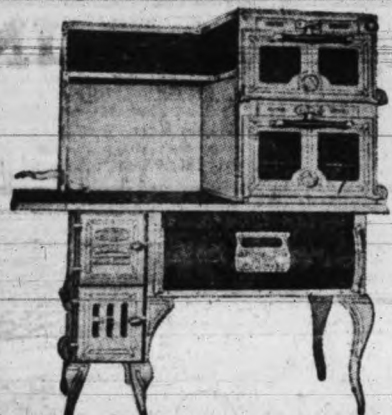
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Sale Price—\$104.00

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A Cast Iron Cook Stove



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Regular Price, \$30.00

Sale Price—\$19.50

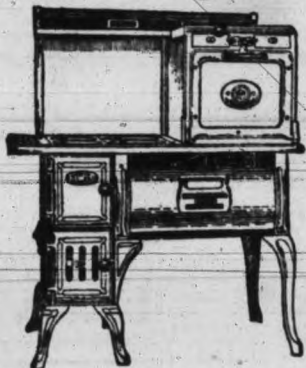
Hudson Range

4-Hole Polished Steel Top, with water jacket and 18-inch oven.

Regular Price, \$59.00

Sale Price—\$45.90

Princess High Oven

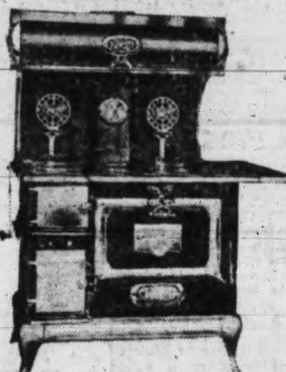


This is something brand new in the Range Line and the Princess is the only one of its kind on the market. It offers the small family all the advantages of the High Oven Range and none of the disadvantages. White enamel, a few dollars extra.

Regular Price, \$90.00

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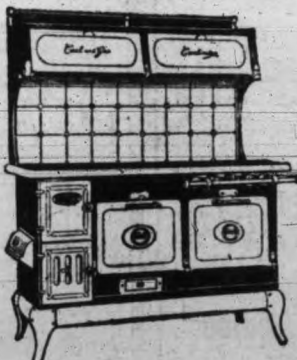
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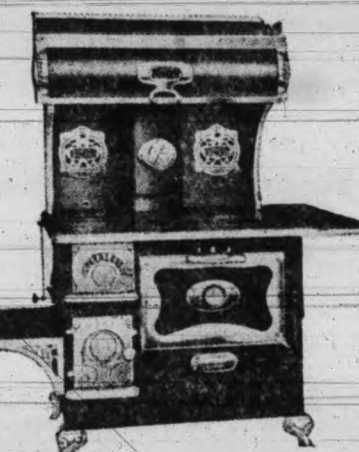


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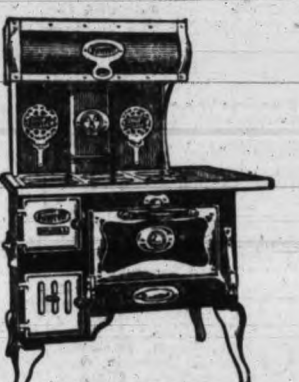


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EDUCATION MUST BE RE-MODELED, SADLER ASSERTS

Big Changes Needed to Fit It for Results of present World Revolution

Says Education Does Not Cause Revolution, But Always Follows It

The world is in the throes of the greatest intellectual and mechanical revolution in its history, and education, to keep up with the vast changes of to-day, must be completely remodeled. This, in a word, was the message which Sir Michael Sadler, the eminent British educationist, brought to the Canadian Club at its banquet in the Empress Hotel Saturday night.

"When an intelligent person examines education as it exists to-day he finds that much of it, on real investigation, crumbles up like a sponge," he declared. "You want a re-statement of your educational policy, a complete change in your educational system."

Just like middle-aged men undergoing Swedish exercises for the first time, we must bend our knees. It's awkward. It's painful. But it brings health.

Must Think Personally.

"The message of the great educational conference in Toronto which I just had the privilege of attending, is that your thinking is not going to be done for you in future and least of all by expert educationalists at so much a month."

"There is no more beautiful sight in all the world than a little school of small children, well taught, exuberantly free," remarked Sir Michael. "And yet, who among you here, if you were forced to stay over in a city for an hour or two by faulty train connections would enquire his way to the nearest school? I want to see the time when the nearest school will be the thing to see. This will come, too."

"When the real purpose of education is realized, and when the results of that real education are seen we are forced to consider real education and present education as a modern observation car compared to the old third-class carriages that used to run on the London and Southeastern Railway."

Sir Michael recalled that he had been asked recently whether education produced revolution. "That is such a specious argument against education," he said. "The truth is that educational expansion has always followed revolutions and not gone before them."

Revolution, Then Education.

"The last revolution of this kind because we are going through one now—was at the last of the nineteenth century. As a result of this, great reforms in education followed in England and Napoleon's re-organization of the whole French educational system, which was re-organized in other European countries' systems," he went on as he traced the development of education in Europe and in the United States. "So, all over the world, the new extension of education follows revolution. Why? Because education is an attempt to stabilize conditions after the change."

The whole world, Sir Michael asserted, was in the midst of the greatest intellectual and mechanical revolution in history. "In times of revolution the wise man takes all that is good in the past and all that is good in the new and weaves them into a new culture," he said. "That is what the world must do to-day."

A Great Conference.

"The recent conference in Toronto is, I believe, the most important educational conference in thirty years," Sir Michael declared. "To attend it was a great privilege. And having seen Canada as it is to-day great pictures of the cities and its open places will stand out in my memory. The educational conference was more a conference, a meeting of the waters. All Canada was there from the Maritime Provinces to British Columbia. The conference would not have been possible without the generosity of the West."

Sir Michael hazarded the guess that sixty per cent of the pioneers of education in Canada were Scottish. "Your Scotchman is extremely adaptable," he went on. "He is different in the West to what he is in the East. The West seems to add a sort of recklessness to his character."

Two Great Streams.

"The Scotch was one of the great streams that came into our conference and the second was French," Sir Michael proceeded, recalling more of his impressions of the educational conference. "I saw there the clash of two doctrines and practices that have been at issue in Europe for a long time—the doctrine of pre-revolutionary, Catholic, France

and the doctrine that springs from the revolutionary thought of the eighteenth century."

"When I saw the clash of these two schools I felt that we must not be traitors to the old truth to defend a new truth. This, I think, is poor old England's job, for England found the fourth tradition. The English have done a great many good things as well as many stupid ones and this chiefly, I believe, because our thoughts have come from the heart and from our ability to understand and appreciate the ideals of others without treason to our own."

Sir Michael prophesied that the mixture of French Catholic, French Republicans and English in Canada would produce a nation that would be effervescent or explosive—a nation that probably would give the world "something better than a new chemical wave"—a new condition of security that would make Ottawa a safer place for the British Museum than London.

Rev. Dr. Leslie Clay, President of the Canadian Club, introduced the speaker of the evening and Harry Charlesworth, Secretary of the British Columbia Teachers' Federation, expressed the club's thanks to Sir Michael.

MANSON WARNS STEEL INVESTORS TO KEEP MONEY

Plan for More Contributions to Buffalo Pool, Denounced

Promoters Again Seek Cash, Promising Seven Per Cent. and Back Stock

Attorney-General Manson to-day issued a warning to L. R. Steel "investors" in C. C. not to part with any more of their cash along lines proposed by the Stockholders' Committee of Buffalo.

He made it clear enough as to the methods on the inside that have been uncovered by J. W. Dixie, the Government investigator who has been working for the last ten days, to show that persons should not "fall" for any more schemes to get more money out of them.

"While I have not yet had the report of J. W. Dixie, the solicitor from my department who was detailed to make an investigation into the L. R. Steel organization's activities in British Columbia, and cannot say what action will be taken, I would strongly advise shareholders to refrain from putting any more money into the concern until they have had the advice of substantial and responsible financial authorities, and certainly not before they have had a full and complete report from Mr. Clark, the Canadian assessor, and received his advice," Mr. Manson said. "Action should be deferred at least until this is obtained, and the shareholders, in my opinion, would be foolish to let themselves be stampeded into further action involving additional money, until they know fully where they stand."

"Even Mr. Clark may not have had time to solve the intricacies of the Steel organization ramifications," said Mr. Manson, "and until he does, and issues a statement, stockholders would be ill-advised to make any further contributions. Mr. Dixie will not report until next week and until I receive that report I cannot say what action the Government will take, but I would strongly advise shareholders again being stampeded, and urge them to seriously consider any proposals put to them by anyone."

Already the investors in the Steel schemes have been flooded with literature written in the characteristic Steel style urging them to send more money and everything will be all right and they will be able to get back what they put in before the crash.

The Buffalo interests appeal to each shareholder to send at once at least 10 per cent in cash of what they subscribed, while others who are really enthusiastic to put more money into the Steel schemes are urged to make it at least 15 per cent.

"You believed in the plan of these companies when you invested and you should have sufficient faith now to believe with us that your investment can be protected and made of value," the literature says.

Investors who put more money into the Steel scheme will be given "L. R. Steel Stockholders' Protective Trust Certificates."

Victoria Steel stockholders have been called on to meet at 8 o'clock Tuesday night at New Thought Temple, Pandora Avenue, to discuss these plans for re-organization.

Mission to this meeting will be by pass issued by B. G. Robinson, 1217 Broad Street, former L. R. Steel manager here.

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LOOKS INTO B.C. TIMBER QUESTION

Lumber Merchant Here From West Australian Capital

Looking into British Columbia methods of handling lumber, and for that purpose planning this week to visit some of the Island mills, R. Browning, a well-known lumber merchant of Perth, West Australia, is registered at the Empress Hotel with Mrs. Browning.

Mr. Browning at home handles quite a different type of lumber, and in past years has imported from the coast for mining construction purposes. However, mining of gold is very quiet in the state, which of late years has been the chief producer of gold in Australia, and therefore there is not much demand for timber for mine props, and similar purposes.

The visitor is greatly interested in British Columbia's labor problems. He is working side-by-side with white people, and in the railway system of this country, he told The Times. Travelling across Australia via Adelaide and Melbourne, there were three breaks of gauges, and one

change of tracks from local to state lines, some contrast to a journey from Vancouver to Montreal. The standardization of the gauges is going to be a serious problem for the country.

Mr. Browning will proceed to San Francisco and thence home.

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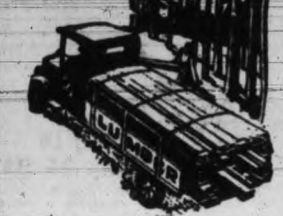
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NEWS IN BRIEF

A. D. Weir, of Corvallis, Oregon, who is preparing the record of the Price mission here, may be communicated with during this week at the Y. M. C. A.

The final results of the recent tag day in aid of the Seamen's Institute is now given at \$602.35, with expenses amounting to \$5. The affair was carried out under the direction of the Ladies' Guild for Sailors.

Effective to-morrow, stamped envelopes of the one, two and three cent denominations, size No. 10, dimensions 9 1/2 in. by 4 1/2 in., will be sold at the rate of \$1.32, \$2.32 and \$3.32 per hundred, instead of \$1.40, \$2.40 and \$3.40 respectively.

Owing to a typographical error the name of the Aaronson works on Johnson Street was wrongly described as Victoria Cycle Works in the advertisement in the Bicycle Age Saturday. It should be the Victory Cycle Works, 581 Johnson Street.

Final arrangements for its participation in the Maytime Frolic will be made at a special meeting of the Municipal I. O. D. E. executive to be held in the headquarters to-morrow morning at 11.30. All requests are particularly requested to attend this meeting.

From St. George's School.—The daughters of pity wish to thank Mrs. Stille and the pupils of St. George's School for their kindness in donating the sum of \$31.18 for the Children's Ward, Jubilee Hospital, said sum being obtained from an impromptu fete held on St. George's Day by the students.

The steady demand for information on milk goats has necessitated a fourth edition of the Department of Agriculture's Bulletin No. 64, on goat raising in British Columbia; this is now off the press and copies will be mailed to anyone interested on application to the Live Stock Branch, Department of Agriculture, Victoria, B. C.

In a short session of the city police court to-day four offenders were fined \$5 each for improper parking of cars in front of theatres. The Coast and Mountain Lumber Company, F. Tomlin, Mrs. Edith Leeder and Mrs. Vivian Combe each pleaded guilty and were fined. Mrs. C. S. Armstrong, through her counsel, Carew Martin, obtained a remand on a similar charge for hearing on Wednesday.

Dr. G. G. Sedgewick on Tuesday evening at 8.15 o'clock will give for the first time in Victoria his lecture on "The Forsyte Saga," much-talked-of book by John Galsworthy, the eminent English author. The lecture is to be held at the Metropolitan Methodist Church under the auspices of the Victoria and District Theatrical Association and the proceeds are in aid of the Royal Jubilee Hospital.

On Thursday the St. Mary's minstrel and vaudeville troupe gave an entertainment at St. Barnabas Church Hall in aid of the building fund, which was well attended and much appreciated. Nearly every act was encored. Especially fine was the work of E. Hollander and his part of the judge in the burlesque trial "Case Against Casey." The programme will be repeated at St. Mary's Hall on Friday, May 1, when the troupe will wind up the engagements for the year.

The Canadian Pacific Railway Company's Telegraph announce a reduction in rates on their various letter services to Great Britain. The daily letter service has been reduced from 11c to 10c per word with a minimum of 20 words, via the "Imperial" cable. The week-end service by the route has been reduced from 11c to 9c per word with the 20 word minimum. Messages of this class may be filed up to Saturday midnight for delivery on Monday. Via the trans-Atlantic Marconi service, the daily letter rate is now 9 1/2c per word and the week-end 9c.

The Anglican Theological College of British Columbia will hold its annual convocation on Wednesday evening May 2, in St. Paul's parish hall at 8 o'clock. Graduates will receive their diplomas of Licentiate in Theology. Rev. J. E. Goddard, B. A., rector of St. Thomas's Church, South Vancouver, will receive the degree of Bachelor of Divinity. This will be the first divinity degree conferred in regular course by a college by virtue of its affiliation with the University of British Columbia. Addresses will be given by the Archbishop of Canada, the Bishop of Kootenay and Rev. S. Gould, D. D., secretary of the Missionary Society of the Anglican Church in Canada.

The social and dance held under the auspices of the Victoria Quilting Club in the Orange Hall on Friday night turned out to be another of the popular Scottish affairs for which the club is noted. About fifty couples took the floor for the grand march to the strains of the bagpipes ably played by Master P. Alexander and J. Wallace. Songs were contributed by Messrs. T. Rhodes, J. Jeffrey and J. McCall. Scottish baritone. The special music played by D. McCaig and A. Mackie helped to make the dance a success. Credit is due to the floor masters, H. Bestin and R. Robertson, also to the social committee and the ladies who helped with the refreshments.

Ward One and Ward Four of the Victoria Liberal Association will hold a joint meeting at the Liberal rooms to-morrow evening. Commencing at 7.30 o'clock sharp Ward Four will hold a short business session, to be followed by an address by Hon. A. M. Manson, Attorney-General, at eight o'clock, after which Ward One will give a musical programme with dancing and a card game in the card room for which suitable prizes will be given. Zala's orchestra will be in attendance and refreshments will be served by the ward committees. Members of the Esquimalt association have been invited to attend, and a large turn-out is looked for.

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**Sidney Paving and Section on
West Coast in Sutherland
Programme**

About \$2,300,000 is to be spent on good roads and bridges this season, Hon. W. H. Sutherland, Minister of Public Works, announced to-day, as his 1923 road programme.

This will be made up of \$1,396,000 on highway construction, \$700,000 on bridges and about \$200,000 on the construction of settlers' roads in the newer districts of the Province. The work to be done is spread all over the Province.

The chief items on Dr. Sutherland's final list include:

Completion of three miles of cement-concrete paving on Victoria-Sidney highway; construction of Tofino-Ucluelet road on West Coast of Vancouver Island, \$10,000; two miles of hard-surfacing near Nanaimo; construction of Fulford Harbor Road on Sechart Island, \$10,000; Hastings-Barnett Road, \$10,000, plus contribution by Burnaby; Stewart-Sydney road, \$35,000; reconstruction of 12 miles in Inverness district for Banff-Windermere Highway.

The Courtenay River bridge will be replaced with steel and Chemainus River bridge reconstructed.

FOUR TEAMS IN LACROSSE CIRCUIT

Although there is a lot of talk about peace in the amateur lacrosse ranks in this Province, there will be two leagues operating this Summer. This new organization, the British Columbia Lacrosse Association, will have three teams, with New Westminster the leading light. The other organization, the British Columbia Amateur Lacrosse Association, will include Victoria, Nanaimo, the Squamish Indians and Vancouver, holders of the Mann Cup. The statement contained in the Vancouver dispatch that Victoria would unlikely be represented in amateur lacrosse this year is pure "bunk," and simply part of the propaganda being sent out from the Mainland.

Just to show that Victoria will have amateur lacrosse this year, the local lacrosse team will turn out for its first practice to-morrow evening at 8.15 o'clock at the Stadium. Victoria will oppose Vancouver in the first game for the Mann Cup at the Stadium on May 24.

Doubt is expressed here as to whether the Squamish Indians have really signed to play in the B. C. S. L. A. They agreed to play with Victoria, Nanaimo and Nanaimo and have not announced their withdrawal. Victoria did not attend Saturday's meeting in Vancouver because they do not belong to that league.

CHESTER AGREEMENT SIGNED BY TURKS

London, April 30.—The convention under which Colby M. Chester, retired United States rear-admiral, and his associates are granted development concessions in Anatolia has been signed at Ankara, the Turkish Nationalist capital, did not attend Saturday's graph dispatch from Constantinople to-day.

ZURICH BANK HOLDS BAGDAD RAILWAY SHARES

Zurich, April 30.—It is reported here that one of the leading banks of this city possesses fifty-five per cent. of the shares of the Bagdad Railway, which it bought from a German company at a low price after the war began.

Rear-Admiral Chester, it is asserted, was unaware of this transaction when his syndicate obtained its concession from Turkey. The shares held by him are to be for sale to the highest bidder.

BLISS CARMAN TO LIVE IN VANCOUVER

**Canadian Poet No Longer Will
Live in Connecticut**

Toronto, April 30.—J. Murray Gibson, last year's president of the Canadian Authors' Association, announced with some emotion that a banquet held Saturday night that he had learned that Bliss Carman, the distinguished Canadian poet, who lived for many years in Connecticut, had decided in view of the warmth of the reception given him in Canada that he would no longer sign himself as of New Canada, Conn., but would hereafter be Carman, of Vancouver.

"I had more pleasure in thinking of this one returning Canadian than of the ninety who remain outside the fold," said Mr. Gibson.

ESQUIMALT LIBERALS

A meeting of the Esquimalt Liberal Association will be held in Kent's Hall, Esquimalt Road, May 1, and not May 1 as previously stated. The members of the Esquimalt Liberal Association are invited to attend a social evening Tuesday, May 1, at headquarters, Liberal Association, commencing at 8 p.m.

BUILDING TOTAL SHOOTS UPWARD IN CITY AGAIN

**Construction Started Here so
Far This Year Valued at
\$346,554**

**Big Increase in April and in
First Four Months' Work**

Building figures for April, issued by City Building Inspector James Barf at the City Hall to-day, show another upward spurt.

The total value of building started in April, according to these figures, was \$146,502 as against \$23,495 in March, an increase of \$123,007.

Value of building started here so far this year is shown by to-day's figures to be \$346,554, as against only \$23,712 up to this time last year. This is an increase of \$322,842.

Forty-one building permits were issued here this month as against 45 a year ago. The value of building covered by this year's permits, as stated was \$146,502 as against \$85,745 last year.

Issuance of a permit covering the construction of the new Jubilee Hospital, wing helped to swell this month's figures.

BONAR LAW TAKES A SEA VOYAGE

**British Prime Minister Travels
to Restore Health**

**Baldwin and Curzon Find Re-
sponsibilities Increase**

London, April 30.—Premier Bonar Law left London yesterday for a sea trip, according to an official announcement, which, however, contained no information as to the vessel or its route. During the absence of the Premier, Marquis Curzon, in the House of Lords, and Stanley Baldwin, Chancellor of the Exchequer, in the Commons, will, as leaders, have the responsibility of making the decisions usually the province of the Premier.

Although no hint exists of the absence of the Premier during an important period of an executive session, each absence has usually been due to reasons of extreme urgency.

FOX HUNTING IS ATTACKED

**Brutal Pastime of Idle Rich,
Says G. W. Clark**

London, April 30.—The farm strike in Norfolk is ended, but fox hunting, "that brutal pastime of the rich and idle," remains one of the greatest stumbling blocks to agricultural prosperity, according to G. W. Clark, who describes himself as a member of a well known hunting family long associated with the Blackmore Vale pack of fox hounds.

Mr. Clark has written a book with the title, "Reynard—the Case Against the Fox," in which he energetically attacks the sport. He estimates the loss inflicted on the country through the 200 hunts conducted in the British Isles at \$40,000,000 annually, which exceeds the interest Great Britain must pay on her debt to the United States, and argues that the benefits conferred on the horse breeding industry by the sport are insignificant.

"So long as the countryside is allowed to be turned into play grounds for the idle and rich, the best results cannot be obtained from the farms," Clark writes.

The sport, he says, has established a Junker class who imagine they have the right to rob and trample those with whom they conflict.

TO MEET TO-NIGHT

A meeting of the Young People's Forum of the Metropolitan Church will be held at the schoolroom this evening commencing at 8 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

WARD VII. HALL

There is to be a meeting at the Tillikum School to-morrow evening to discuss the formation and construction of a community centre for that district. There are already several organizations in the neighborhood for various objects, and it has been felt for some time that if they could somehow get together they could hold their meetings and have various social gatherings and entertainments as is done in other suburban districts.

At present the Lawn Bowling Club, which has purchased a site, has what appears to be a logical situation for such a building in conjunction with their own requirements, but other suggestions have been made and all are invited to give their help in this direction.

CHARGE IS WITHDRAWN

A charge of driving a car while intoxicated, preferred against William Eastman, on remand in the provincial police court to-day, was dismissed. The accused was acquitted after Constable Otway Wilkie, of the provincial police, told the court that he had been unable to find any evidence of drunkenness on the part of the accused on the occasion in question. Constable Wilkie asked permission to withdraw the charge, but W. C. Moreby, counsel for the accused, moved for an acquittal, and this was granted.

The charge was laid following a motor accident on the Island Highway near Parson's Bridge recently, when a car driven by the accused got out of control and smashed into a telephone post, being badly wrecked.

CONDITIONS IN REAL ESTATE IMPROVING

Local Firm Reports Transactions to Value of \$40,000 During Month

Steady improvement in local real estate conditions is being shown daily by an increase in property sales. One firm alone, Power & McLaughlin, reports transactions during the past few days involving \$40,000. This includes the sale of property on Wascana Street to a Winnipeg man for \$6,500; a house in James Bay sold for \$4,000; house and acreage at Colwood to an Edmonton man for \$2,000; house and two lots in Oak Bay for \$4,200. A Toronto man bought a house in Oak Bay for \$6,000, while a prairie man purchased a lot on the Dallas Road for \$1,100. Other properties sold by this firm during the past month includes a house and half acre at Marigold for \$3,000, two lots on Quadra Street, also numerous lots at the Gorge, Marigold, Deep Cove, and Oak Bay, and a large piece of acreage at Metichon.

This firm also reports numerous enquiries for Victoria property from Sydney, N. S.; Montreal; Han Kow, China; Bowmanville, Ont.; India, and London, England.

CHAIRMAN OF CHAMBER APPEALS FOR MEMBERS

(Continued from page 1.)
member should consider he has done his duty when he has paid his fees and voted for the Board of Directors, but should take an active interest in the special sphere where he thinks he can best serve.

"That every group should use the greatest care in selecting its chairman, because the chairman becomes a director, and is the special mouthpiece of the group with the Board of Directors, so that the member selected should not only be selected because he is a good chairman, but also because he is able to forcibly place the views of his group before the Directors to secure favorable action."

"The Chamber is now in a sound financial position, thanks to the work of last year's officers, and the present Board proposes that the work shall be kept on a cash basis, so that expenditure shall be well within income."

To Sustain Membership.
"A greater membership is required, and to obtain this, it is necessary that enough members to fill all vacancies caused by death, retirement, or other reasons, but also to keep pace with natural growth of the city and district should be secured. Every member therefore should make himself a committee of one, and bring a new candidate for membership."

"A strong feeling that things are better in the city, and that they will continue to improve, exists. If we take advantage of this optimistic feeling and work unitedly together, all for each and each for all, at the end of the year the membership will be all our fondest hopes could desire."

Committees.
The following were named by the President as the Finance Committee for the year: E. W. McMillen, chairman; J. W. Spencer, B. C. Nicholas, J. O. Cameron and C. P. W. Schwengers.

It was decided not to have any committee on committees this year, but to have the work done by the Board of Directors.

The Forum Committee, of which Alfred Carmichael is chairman, was allowed to stand unchanged for the present.

Major H. Cuthbert Holmes was made chairman of the Amusement Committee, in place of C. T. Cross. Otherwise no change was made in membership.

MR. TICE TO SPEAK

Cecil Tice, Potato Specialist, Department of Agriculture, will address the monthly meeting of the Victoria and District Gardeners' Association at the City Hall to-morrow night at eight o'clock. An invitation is extended to all who are interested in the production and culture of the potato to attend, and hear the benefits of certified seed. Members are reminded that entries for the Marchant Cup close with this meeting. A full attendance of members is requested. Members are also reminded of the classes for the monthly competition.

TO BUILD RESIDENCE

J. Marshall has awarded the contract for a five-roomed modern bungalow to D. H. Hale, to be built on Hamilton Road.

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Subject:

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FRIDAY, MAY 4 on

"Miracles and Cures"

At a time when the minds of the people are being overworked and in doubt, it is well that a sane and sound doctrine be taught. These questions will be answered in a sensible, logical manner. Dr. Lawson has lectured to overcrowded halls in Canada and the United States.

The Los Angeles Times says: "Dr. Lawson's lecture last night in the Music Art Hall was one of the best delivered in the city for many a day. His logic is irrefutable."

The San Francisco Chronicle: "An immense audience listened to Dr. Lawson, of Vancouver, last night. An eloquent speaker and a famous food specialist, he held his audience for three hours in a manner few speakers are able to do."

"Health Is a Matter of Knowledge"

CALLS OF FIRE

Two inmates of 843 Fort Street were helped down ladders to the street yesterday when fire broke out at the premises about 4.50 p.m. Smoke and flames broke out from the rear of a store on the ground floor. The occupants of the building on the first story were cut off by the smoke and their rescue was effected without incident. The flames were quelled before much damage resulted. A roof fire at 8.35 p.m. gave the department a run to

Great Clearance of Women's Hosiery



Women's Hose

Consisting of Cashmere with deep hem top, reinforced heels and toes, in heather, white, navy, purple, emerald or black. And Women's Lisle Hose in brown, smoke, grey, navy, black. Broken lines, not all sizes in each color, but all sizes in the lot. Regular \$1.00 pair, May Anniversary Sale, **69c**

Women's Lisle Hose

Good deep hem top with spliced heels and toes; broken lines, in brown, grey, navy, white, black. Not all sizes in each, but all sizes in lot, 8 1/2 to 9 1/2. Regular **29c** 39c and 45c pair, May Anniversary Sale

Fibre and Jap Silk Hose

In heather mixtures of blue and grey, blue and brown, green and brown, green and navy, henna and cordovan, with lisle hem tops and lisle heels and toes. Extra Special at pair, **98c**

"Hudson's" All-Wool English Made Cashmere Hose With deep hem tops and extra full fitting, has strong reinforced heels and toes, in colors of fawn, brown, coating, seal brown, grey, navy, white or black. May Anniversary Sale, **\$1.10**

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Three Special Bargains in Children's Quality Hosiery

Children's 1-1 Rib Cotton Hose

Strongly reinforced at the wearing parts, quality unexcelled, and sanitary dye. All sizes, 6 1/2 to 9 1/2. Special May Anniversary Sale, per pair, **23c**

Children's White Cotton Sox

With colored rolled tops, of brown, navy, mauve, gold, sky. All sizes, 4 1/2 to 9 1/2. May Anniversary Sale, per pair, **29c**

Children's Golf Hose

English make, all wool, with fancy rolled tops, in brown, navy, grey, black or Levat. Sizes 4 1/2 to 9 1/2. May Anniversary Sale, per pair, **65c**

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Draperies Specials Extraordinary

Colored Border and Taped Edge Curtain

Scrima, 19c
Nice quality colored and taped edge Curtain Scrima, 36 inches wide; in white, cream and ecru. May Anniversary Sale, **19c**

Scotch Madras, 79c

Cream or white, some plain, others with scalloped borders; also small figured patterns; in widths up to 50 inches. Values to \$1.12. May Anniversary Sale, yard **79c**

Filet Curtain Nets, 59c

Fine quality Filet and Scotch Curtain Nets, of dependable quality, in white, cream and ecru; 40 to 52 inches wide. Values to \$1.00. May Anniversary Sale, yard **59c**

Morton's Hand Block Cretonnes, \$3.95

For better furnishing they have no equal. They are 50 inches wide; suitable for loose covers or economical to split for side hangings. Value **\$3.95** \$4.50. May Anniversary Sale

Extra Fine Filet Curtain Nets, \$1.19

Including beautiful nets of the better grades, made from finest Egyptian cottons. A wide range to select from. Value to \$1.35. May Anniversary Sale, yard **\$1.19**

10 Bolts of Hand Block Cretonnes, 59c

The finest English and French Hand Block Cretonnes that can be made, on a beautiful linen cloth. Regular \$1.10 to \$1.45. May Anniversary Sale, per yard **59c**

Toy Specials

Glass Water Sets

85c
Although these are toy sets, they are large enough for practical use; all neatly boxed. May Anniversary Sale, per set **85c**

Dolls at \$1.39

15-inch dolls, with dainty muslin dresses, curly hair, sleeping eyes, pearly teeth and trimmed straw hat. May Anniversary Sale **\$1.39**—Lower Main Floor

BUY RUGS NOW

At These Sale Prices

Seamless Tapestry Rugs

Extra good wearing quality Rugs that are made all in one piece. Will give entire satisfaction.
Size 6.9 x 9. Reg. \$21.00. Sale price **\$13.95**
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Size 9 x 10.6. Reg. \$31.50. Sale price **\$24.50**
Size 9 x 12. Reg. \$35.00. Sale price **\$27.50**

Fine Wilton Rugs at Reduced Prices

These Wilton Rugs include some of the very finest quality English and French Wiltons that are made. Buy your Rugs now, as they will be higher later on.
Size 9 x 9. Reg. \$85.00. Sale price **\$69.50**
Size 9 x 10.6. Reg. \$89.50. Sale price **\$75.00**
Size 9 x 12. Reg. \$110. Sale price **\$85.00**

Axminster Hearth Rugs, Value \$3.50, for \$2.29

Soft wool pile Axminster Rugs, in hit and miss patterns; suitable for bedrooms, hearths or halls; size 27 x 54 inches. May Anniversary Sale, Price **\$2.29**—Third Floor

A Great Dinnerware Bargain



97-Piece English Semi-Porcelain Dinner Sets for \$29.00

A collection of odd sets specially priced for quick selling. Some have one or two pieces short. Patterns include plain white and gold, blue band pattern, pink litho patterns and border designs. Values to \$45.00. May Anniversary Sale **\$29.00**

Plain White China Cups and Saucers

100 dozen in all. Shop early to secure your full requirements. Value 25c. May Anniversary Sale **12 1/2c**

Silverware Specials

Scissors at 79c

If you need a pair of Scissors of any kind do not miss this sale. There are large, small and medium scissors of all kinds, full nickel plated; some with black japanned handles; value to \$2.90. May Anniversary Sale, each **79c**

Silver Plated Tea Spoons

These are guaranteed spoons of very good quality. The price is no indication of their true value. Dainty designs. May Anniversary Sale, each **\$1.00**

Casseroles Frames 95c

Round and oval Nickel Plated Casseroles Frames, value \$1.85 and \$2.50. May Anniversary Sale, each **95c**—Lower Main Floor

100 Gallons of "Victor" House Paint \$3.75 a Gallon

Outside White Paint, made specially for Hudson's Bay Company. Superior in quality to any other low priced paint on the market, as we have proved by actual test. 100 gallons only. May Anniversary Sale, per gal. **\$3.75**

4-Tine Spading Forks

Welland Vale brand, well known for their high standard of quality; 50 of them to sell Tuesday, value \$1.00. May Anniversary Sale **\$1.69**

Garden Rakes and Hoes 99c Each

10, 12 or 14-tooth Rakes and 8-inch Blade Hoes, each **99c** 2 for **\$1.35**—Lower Main Floor

Note These Savings in Drug Sundries

Pears' Unscented Soap, 2 for 31c

D. & R. Cold Cream, 50c value... **73c**
Herpicide, \$1.00 value... **73c**
Hazeline Snow Cream, 50c value, **37c**
Kepler's Malt with Cod Liver Oil, \$2.25
Rosemond's Rice Powder, 85c value... **\$1.78**
for **97c**
Mae Trefle Face Powder, 50c value for **37c**
Syrup of Hypophosphites, \$1.25 value for **88c**
French Eau de Cologne, \$1.25 value for **95c**
French Vanishing Cream, 50c value for **35c**
La Belle Toilet Water, \$1.25 value for **92c**
Palmer's Witch Hazel Cream, 50c value... **37c**
Carson's Talcum Powder, 25c value for **18c**
Dorin's Pap Sticks, 35c value for **27c**
Melba Double Vanity Cases, \$1.50 value for **95c**
Ingram's Rouge, 50c value for **35c**
Solid Brilliantine, 50c value for **38c**
Powder Puffs, 2 for 25c value for **9c**
Gibbs' Lotus Lily Bath Soap, 35c value for **27c**
Colgate's Glycerine Soap, 25c value for **17c**
Hair Brush, 85c value for **50c**
Bath Sponge, 85c value... **60c**
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Misses' Tailored Dresses, \$12.95

Smart little tailored models in straight line style with round neck, Elbow sleeves and narrow girdles, trimmed with military braid and two-toned embroidery. Very serviceable garments, suitable for street, office or college wear. Sizes 16 to 20. May Anniversary Sale **\$12.95**

Tailored Sports Skirts, Special, \$5.95

Made from novelty check materials in the season's newest colorings; gathered back, novelty shaped pockets, narrow belt and button trimmed. Sizes 25 to 30. Anniversary Sale price **\$5.95**

Sports Skirts, Special, \$9.50

Another group of new Sports Skirts in pleated, tailored and wrap around styles, made from homespun, velour and novelty fabrics; sizes 26 to 32. Anniversary Sale price **\$9.50**

Boys' Khaki Bloomers

\$1.00

A Pair

Made from strong quality khaki twill that will give splendid wear. Just the thing for sturdy boys to wear during the coming Summer months. They have lots of pockets and finished with belt loops. Sizes 25 to 35. May Anniversary Sale, per pair **\$1.00**

Boys' Wash Suits

\$1.00

Dressy little Wash Suits for boys from 3 to 7 years; straight style jackets and knicker pants; made from a serviceable fawn material with blue trimmed collars and cuffs. May Anniversary Sale **\$1.00**—Main Floor

Girls' Polo Cloth Coats

Special **\$7.98** and **\$8.98**

These are exceptional values, smart sports style, in splendid quality Polo Cloth, neat belted style with convertible collar and smart patch pockets. Come in shades of tan, blue and heather mixtures. Sizes 7, 8 and 9 years. Special **\$7.98** Sizes 10, 12 and 14 years. Special **\$8.98**



New Wraps, Coats and Capes

Included in this group are smart model Coats, Capes and Wraps in all the newest styles for Spring and Summer. Many are handsomely embroidered or braided; the coats and wraps featuring large bell-shaped sleeves, crushable collars and large novelty clasps fastening at side. Materials include picotines, veldure, marvella and tricotines in rich new shades of reindeer, sand, natural and navy, as well as black. Suitable for afternoon or evening wear. Sizes to 42. Anniversary Sale price **\$45.00**

Misses' Sports Dresses, \$16.95

The very latest styles are pleasingly featured in these smart dresses, including side panels, pleated skirts, new necks, short sleeves and novelty strap-pings of self materials. They are made from cantonette of extra good quality in colors of China blue, green, zinc, pumpkin, bittersweet, navy, black and many others. May Anniversary Sale **\$16.95**—Second Floor

More Special Values From the Staple Section

24-Inch Tea Towelling, Tuesday 33c a Yard

Union Towelling, nice absorbent quality suitable for tea towelling. 24 inch wide. May Anniversary Sale Price, per yard **33c**

Face Cloths, 15c

Closely woven with good pile that will wear well; choice of blue, pink or mauve border. May Anniversary Sale Price, each **15c**

Hemmed Pillow Cases, 85c Pair

Made from strongly woven circular cotton that will give good wear; come in 40 and 42 inches. May Anniversary Sale Price, per pair **85c**

62-Inch Ticking, \$1.25 a Yard

This splendid linen finish ticking comes in double width which saves you having extra seams; comes in blue and white stripe only; 62 inches wide. May Anniversary Sale Price, per yard **\$1.25**

Linen Towelling, 95c a Yard

Nice quality Irish Linen Huck Towelling, with fancy designs; woven through; suitable for guest towels; comes in 18 and 20-inch. May Anniversary Sale Price, per yard **95c**

Children's Stamped and Made-Up Dresses' Special 65c

Suitable for children from 2 to 5 years. Made from good quality chambray, in plain colors of tan, rose and sage blue, stamped with applique design; complete with patches of contrasting shade. May Anniversary Sale Price **65c**—Mezzanine Floor

All Maderia Linens Greatly Reduced

All Madeira Linens, including Doilies, Centres, Cloths, Runners and Lunch Sets reduced for this Sale. These are all finely hand-worked goods, and this affords a splendid chance to pick off one or more articles required for the linen shower or wedding present for the June Bride.

ALL GREATLY REDUCED

Clearance of Fancy Linens, 89c Each

Tray Cloths, Runners and Squares neatly embroidered in many charming designs; also plain hemstitched. May Anniversary Sale Price, each **89c**

Plate Doilies, 5c

Plate Doilies, with plain or fancy lace centres and Tenerife lace edges; 8 inches in diameter; very popular at the present time to finish ends of scarves; also for making into centrepieces. May Anniversary Sale Price, each **5c**

Hand Worked Madeira Doilies, Each 29c

Hand worked Madeira Doilies, made of fine linen neatly worked, choice of three different designs; 5 inches in diameter. May Anniversary Sale Price, each **29c**

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Silks, Dress Goods and Wash Fabrics at Sale Prices

Silk Foulards, \$2.98 a Yard

A beautifully finished fabric, suitable for Summer frocks and blouses; comes in neat plaids and stripes, in brown, black and white; 36 inches wide. May Anniversary Sale Price, per yard **\$2.98**

Shot and Figured Taffetas, \$2.98 a Yard

A remarkable value in shot taffetas, in blue, grey and tan; also figured taffetas with self color designs; 36 inches wide. May Anniversary Sale Price, per yard **\$2.98**

54-Inch Reversible Polo Coating, \$3.25 a Yard

A nice quality coating with a soft finish and plaid back which can be used very effectively for trimming collar and cuffs; 54 inches wide. May Anniversary Sale Price, per yard **\$3.25**

54-Inch Duvetyn Velour, \$3.69 a Yard

Woven from the finest of wool with a nice firm finish; ideal for Summer Coats and Capes; shown in all the desirable shades; 54 inches wide. May Anniversary Sale Price, per yard **\$3.69**

Embroidered Voile, 89c a Yard

An excellent quality embroidered voile in light and dark shades, suitable for Summer dresses and blouses; 40 inches wide. May Anniversary Sale Price, per yard **89c**

Novelty Batists, 45c a Yard

A nice weight material for the Summer frock, shown in a wide choice of neat designs, in light and Summer colors; 40 inches wide. May Anniversary Sale Price, per yard **45c**

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- Envelope Chemise of fine quality cotton, with organdy and lace trimmed tops, others with neat embroidery. Built-up shoulders or ribbon shoulder straps. Come in flesh and white. Prices **\$1.29, \$1.69**..... **\$2.49**
- Women's Cotton Night Gowns, of fine quality cotton, slip-on styles, with square or V shape, neck trimmed with dainty laces, self or colored embroidery. Others trimmed with fine voile, in attractive colors. Come in flesh and white. Prices **\$1.00, \$1.69, \$2.49** and..... **\$2.98**
- Women's Cotton Drawers, of good strong white cotton, finished with frill of neat embroidery, open or closed styles. Prices **79c, 89c** and..... **98c**
- Women's Corset Covers, made of good grade cotton, in slipover or button front styles, trimmed with good quality lace and neat embroidery. Sizes 36 to 50. Prices **35c, 69c, 89c** and..... **98c**
- Women's Pink Mull Bloomers, special 69c
- A splendidly made garment of good quality pink mull, elastic at waist and knee. Special..... **69c**



Nurses' Uniforms, Value \$3.95, special **\$2.50**
Uniforms of splendid quality white drill, made with V neck and small roll collar; others with high neck band to wear with separate collar. Long sleeves with buttoned cuffs. Splendid value at..... **\$2.50**

Anniversary Specials in Groceries

- Pacific Brand Milk, tall tins. Anticlip-top, for camping requirements. Per case. May Anniversary Special, at..... **\$5.75**
- Five Roses or Royal Household Flour, May Anniversary Sale, 95-lb. sack for..... **\$3.90**
- 49-lb. sack..... **\$1.95**
- 34-lb. sack..... **\$1.09**
- Finest Quality B.C. Granulated Sugar, May Anniversary Sale, 100-lb. sack for..... **\$11.25**
- 20-lb. paper sack for..... **\$2.25**
- Continuing Our Special Sale of Special Breakfast Tea, May Anniversary Sale Price, per lb. for..... **4c**
- 3 lbs. for..... **1.35**
- 5 lbs. for..... **\$2.25**
- 10 lbs. for..... **\$4.45**
- Del Monte Brand Chili Sauce, Anniversary Special, per bottle..... **45c**
- Libby's White Onions, May Anniversary Special, per bottle..... **30c**
- Dramedy Brand Golden Dates, reg. 25c. May Anniversary Sale, per packet..... **15c**
- Rock Maple Brand Fine Cut Maple Sugar, regular 50c per tin. May Anniversary Sale..... **35c**
- Cowan's Perfection Cocoa, guaranteed to be pure, large 5-lb. tins. Anniversary Special, per tin..... **\$2.00**
- Harry Horne's Double Cream Custard Powder, 16-oz. tins, assorted flavors, regular 35c. May Anniversary Sale, special, per tin..... **33c**
- Quaker Brand Choice Quality Pumpkin, 24-lb. tins. Anniversary Special, per tin..... **16c**
- Campbell's Tomato Soup, May Anniversary Sale, 2 tins for..... **25c**
- Per dozen..... **\$1.45**
- Fancy French Shelled Walnuts (Bordeaux Halves), regular 55c per lb. May Anniversary Sale, special, 3 lbs. for..... **75c**
- Swift's White Laundry Soap, good in any water. May Anniversary Sale, special, per dozen..... **65c**
- King Beach's Pure Strawberry Jam or Pineapple Marmalade, 16-oz. jars. May Anniversary Sale, special, 3 jars for..... **95c**
- FRENCH CANNED VEGETABLES GREATLY REDUCED**
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- Peas, Tres Fine. May Anniversary Sale, special, per tin..... **34c**
- Peas, Sur Extra Fine. May Anniversary Sale, special, per tin..... **41c**
- String Beans, extra fine. May Anniversary Sale, special, per tin..... **39c**
- Mushrooms, choice. May Anniversary Sale, special, per tin..... **54c**
- Mushrooms, First choice. May Anniversary Sale, special, per tin..... **59c**
- Ipsa Brand French Dressing Sardines, in pure Virgin Olive Oil. Large 1/2 lb. tins. Regular 65c. May Anniversary Sale, special, per tin..... **53c**
- CANDY SPECIAL**
- H.B. Luxura Satin Gloss Assorted Confectionery, reg. 50c per lb. tin. May Anniversary Sale, per tin..... **40c**
- H.B. Luxura After Dinner Mints, reg. 40c per lb. May Anniversary Sale, per lb..... **35c**
- Orange Crush Bars, regular 5c. This bar contains a marshmallow filling. May Anniversary Sale, 3 for..... **10c**
- H.B. Luxura, special hard boiled mixture. Reg. 30c. May Anniversary Sale, per lb..... **25c**

Important Sale of Blouses

Exclusive Models in Crepe de Chine and Georgette
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Values \$16.95 to \$22.50, **\$12.95**
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All smart models, and made of best quality materials. Heavy quality crepe de Chine Overblouses in slipover and Jacquette styles, trimmed with exquisite embroidery; others accordion pleated; very pretty style in radium lace, with front panel of crepe de Chine, trimmed with drawn thread work and embroidery; others in combination effect of Georgette crepe and embossed velvet; front smartly embroidered; many other smart styles to choose from. Shades of rust, muffin, pointsetta, navy and black. Values \$16.95 to \$22.50. May Anniversary Sale..... **\$12.95**

White Silk Blouses, Special \$2.98
Made of good quality white silk, neat tailored style, with convertible or small roll collar and long sleeves; others in slipover style, with Peter Pan collar and short sleeves. May Anniversary Sale..... **\$2.98**

Dainty Camisoles, Special \$1.79
Made of heavy quality wash satin, trimmed with dainty laces and Georgette crepe, ribbon shoulder straps or built up shoulders. Come in flesh and white. May Anniversary Sale..... **\$1.79**

Women's 100% Pure Wool Jumpers, \$1.98
Made of soft quality wool, in novelty weave, with round neck, long sleeves and narrow girdle. Come in pretty two-tone colorings of camel and scarlet, salmon and grey, honeydew and brown; also in self colors of pink, camel, honeydew, peacock and white. May Anniversary Sale..... **\$1.98**

Women's 100% Pure Wool Tuxedo Coats, Special \$2.98
Smart garments in novelty weave, Tuxedo front, long sleeves and sash girdle, come in pretty colorings, coral trimmed with Paddy trimmed white or pearl, and American Beauty trimmed with pearl. May Anniversary Sale..... **\$2.98**

Two Specials in Women's Cotton Crepe Kimonos

Cotton Crepe Kimonos, in Japanese style, large wing sleeves, front, back and sleeves heavily embroidered in contrasting colors; sash of self material; come in shades of rose, Saxe and sky. Special..... **\$2.29**

Cotton Crepe Kimonos, in neat Empire effect neck and set-in sleeves, trimmed with good quality satin ribbon. Come in shades of rose, sky, pink, Copen and mauve. Special..... **\$2.98**

Mothers! Note These Savings on Children's Underwear

- Children's Vests, Special 29c**
Cotton Knit Vests, with strap shoulders or short sleeves. Sizes 2 to 14 years. Special, May Anniversary Sale..... **29c**
- Children's Knit Bloomers**
Bloomers of good strong knit cotton, elastic at waist and knee. Come in pink and white. Sizes 2 to 6 years. Special, Sizes 8 and 10 years. Special..... **29c**
- Children's Pink Mull Bloomers, Special 49c**
Made of good quality material, elastic at waist and knee. Come in pink only. Sizes 4 to 14 years. Special, May Anniversary Sale..... **49c**

Buy Your Fur Coat Now

Pay a Small Deposit Now and the Balance in the Autumn

For weeks our furriers have been busy making coats for this sale which we now offer at the special Sale Price of..... **\$149.50**

French Seal Coats, in 40 and 42-inch length, all sizes, with large collar and cuffs of skunk (Alaska sable), made from extra fine skins beautifully lined and finished. May Anniversary Sale Price..... **\$149.50**

Muskrat Coats in attractive styles, 36 to 42 inches long. All sizes..... **\$149.50**

Beaverine Coats, in 40-inch length, all sizes..... **\$149.50**

Such wonderful value in Fur Coats and such an easy method of payment is an opportunity not to be missed. Select the garment of your choice now.



Remarkable Offerings in Men's, Women's and Children's Seasonable Footwear

Women's White Polo Shoes, \$2.75

500 pairs Women's White Polo Cloth Strap Shoes, consisting of this season's newest styles: one and two-strap designs. Splendid assortment to select from, with low, medium and high Cuban heels, full range sizes and widths 2 1/4 to 8. May Anniversary Sale..... **\$2.75**

Women's White Polo Cloth Oxfords, \$2.75

500 Pairs Women's White Polo Cloth Oxfords. All this season's latest arrivals in a varied range of lasts and styles to choose from, with low, moderate or high Cuban heels. Full range sizes and widths, 2 1/4 to 8. May Anniversary Sale price..... **\$2.75**

Women's Oxfords, \$4.50

300 pairs Women's Oxfords. Popular styles, in black kid and tan Duchess calfskin, designed on this season's newest shapes. Comfort and service assured. Walking weight of soles with Cuban heels. Sizes 3 to 7 1/2. May Anniversary Sale..... **\$4.50**

Women's Strap Shoes, \$6.00

200 pairs Women's Strap Shoes. The styles are black or brown and grey suede and black two-tone effects, in kid and calf. All recent designs; dress lasts, medium weight soles and smart Cuban heels. Sizes 3 to 7. May Anniversary Sale..... **\$6.00**

Women's Oxfords, \$3.75

250 Pairs stylish Street Oxfords, in brown and black kid; smartest of styles; Cuban heels. Sizes 3 to 8. May Anniversary Sale..... **\$3.75**

Men's or Growing Boys Boots, \$4.00

Absolutely dependable in quality. Tan or black calf Boots, stout soles, medium round toe, Balmoral style. Remarkable values. Sizes 6 to 10. May Anniversary Sale..... **\$4.00**

Men's Hudsonian Boots, \$5.00

Without a doubt the best values offered by us in boots 2 1/2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100. May Anniversary Sale..... **\$5.00**

Men's Oxfords, \$5.00

Hundreds of pairs of our guaranteed "Hudsonian" Oxfords, in a large range of brown kid, tan calf and tan Scotch grain calf; single or slip soles; medium round toe to the new square French last. Sizes 5 1/4 to 10 1/2. May Anniversary Sale..... **\$5.00**

Two Wonderful Values in Men's Suits

\$15.95 and \$29.95

Men's and Young Men's Smart Suits

Two and three button models. Custom tailored to stand the closest examination. In light shade, smooth finished tweeds, in Glen Urquhart checks, as well as some very fine dark shade worsteds. All wool lined and the greatest value in best quality Suits ever offered in Victoria. Just about 75 Suits in the lot. Sizes 36 to 44. May Anniversary Sale..... **\$29.95**

Good Quality Tweed Suits

In dark brown and Lovat shades. Models are smart two and three-button, also a few smart double-breasted models for young men. Well tailored with strong linings, and Suits that are guaranteed to fit and wear. Just about 90 Suits, bought specially for this sale. **\$15.95** Sizes 34 to 42. May Anniversary Sale..... **\$15.95**

Manufacturers' Special in Men's Pants, \$2.95

A well cut Pant, in strong grey union worsted. In a smart plain grey, as well as staple stripe. Odd Pants that will match up with most Coats and Vests. All made with belt loop, watch, two hip and two side pockets. A pant that will give the wear, and does fit. Just 100 pairs to sell, size 32 to 42. May Anniversary Sale, per pair..... **\$2.95**

A Special Buy in Odd Pants, \$3.95

The manufacturer had odd lengths of tweed and worsted to make up 100 pairs, and for cash we bought them right. Shades of brown and grey and fancy mixtures. Extra well made and cut, have five pockets and belt loops. A pair of these will wear out that good coat and vest you have. Sizes 31 to 42. May Anniversary Sale, pair..... **\$3.95**

150 Dozen Hudson's Bay Dimple Golf Balls at 70c Each

These Balls are made by the famous Scotch firm, St. Mungo Manufacturing Company, of Glasgow. Owing to the large orders placed by our various stores we are able to offer our patrons this Ball at a lower price than any other ball of similar quality on the market. May Anniversary Sale, price..... **70c**
3 for **\$2.00**, 6 for **\$4.00**, 12 for **\$8.00**

Corrugated Nickel-Plated Vacuum Bottles \$1.50

The case alone is worth the money we are asking for the whole bottle. Vacation time is near, and with it comes the need of a good vacuum bottle. Here is your chance to secure one at a special low price. Pint size. May Anniversary Sale Price..... **\$1.50**
—Lower Main Floor

Men's Borsalino Hats, Special

\$6.95

Twenty-four only of these famous hats to clear at this special low price. All the popular shades and new shapes to choose from. Made entirely from real fur felt; all sizes. May Anniversary Sale..... **\$6.95**

Men's English Pyjamas

Made from soft but durable quality flannelette, in neat colored stripe patterns; full cut garments and extra well made; excellent value. May Anniversary Sale..... **\$2.39**
—Main Floor

Boys' Two Pant Suits

\$8.95

Biggest Value Offer of This Season

Smartly tailored, in belted styles of all-wool tweeds, in smart fawn and green Lovat shades; also dark brown and green mixtures; and we have straight knickers from 26 to 32, and bloomer pants, all full cut with Governor fasteners, 27 to 35. All suits with extra bloomers or knickers. May Anniversary Sale..... **\$8.95**

Boys' Sweater Coats \$1.39

Just what the boys need for cool nights—shawl collar styles, in shades of grey, brown and navy. A wool mixture that will give long wear. Sizes 26 to 30. May Anniversary Sale..... **\$1.39**

Boys' Golf Hose 59c Pair

Fancy color designs in turn-over tops, smart Lovat shades, in pure wool ribbed. A stocking that fits and will give wear and comfort. May Anniversary Sale, pair..... **59c**

BASEBALL. CRICKET. FOOTBALL. SPORTING NEWS. GOLFING. SWIMMING.

Three More Titles Won By Local Teams

First Presbyterian Men, Fidelis Senior Girls and Metropolitan Intermediate Girls Defeat Vancouver Champions In Games for B. C. Sunday School Championships; Men's Game Was Very One-Sided But Girls Had Hard Tussles

Chalk up three more British Columbia basketball championships for Victoria.

Pitted against three of the best teams on the mainland, the local champions swept the slate clean at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium on Saturday night. The three victories gave the Capitals the edge in the play-off in the Provincial Sunday School series. Six games were played and Victoria won four, while Vancouver had to be content with two.

The big surprise of the evening was when the small but fast Fidelis team of the First Presbyterian Church defeated St. Mark's in the senior ladies' game. Although the Fidelis girls have played well all season they were hardly expected to defeat their older and more experienced opponents. St. Mark's have won the senior B. C. title for three years in succession. Last year the Fidelis were the junior champions and turned senior this year, winning the city and provincial honors.

As Expected. The other games were as expected, the First Presbyterian men's seniors having no trouble disposing of the Crescents of Vancouver, while the Metropolitan intermediate girls defeated the Mt. Pleasant Presbyterians. The results of the games were as follows:

Intermediate Girls. Metropolitan Methodist, 11; Mt. Pleasant Presbyterian, 7.
Senior Girls. Fidelis, 8; St. Marks, 6.

Senior Men's. First Presbyterian, 39; Mt. Pleasant Crescents, 12.

The closest game of the evening and the one which drew the big crowd of spectators shouting like a lot of madmen, was that between the Fidelis and St. Marks. The Vancouver girls were a decided advance in weight, height and reach, but the two local guards, Nora McGimpsey and Iris Philbrook, were so fast that they were able to smother all the shooting efforts of the crack Mainland aggregation.

Won On Free Shots. The Fidelis really won the game on free shots. Three free shots were converted by Iris Philbrook, and had she been allowed to shoot the other penalties the score might have been a little more decisive, as none of the other Fidelis girls had much luck with the throw. St. Mark's scored three baskets, while the local girls secured but two.

The checking was extremely close and in the first half only one point was scored. Isabel Crawford netting the ball on a free shot. For a time it looked as though the game would be decided on free shots, owing to the inability of the players to find the basket for field goals, but finally Janet McQueen scored a basket with a long shot. Right afterwards Iris Philbrook scored on a free shot and Isabel Crawford got her only basket of the game. The score stood 6-0 against them the visitors shook off their checks and Thelma Raper dropped a long one through the hoop and Violet Stevenson came through with a pretty basket after a dribble. Two free shots in a row were netted by Iris Philbrook and ended the local scoring. Thelma Raper found the basket again on a long rainbow shot. Despite strenuous efforts on the part of both teams the score remained at 8-6.

A Regular Walkaway. The spectators were hoping to see a rare old tussle between Gus McKinnon's First Presbyterians and the Crescents, but it proved nothing but a walkaway for the locals. The Firsts had the Crescents baffled at every turn. In the first half the Firsts scored almost all the points, 22 points, while the visitors only secured one basket. Bob Whyte and Norm Forbes had their checks bound hand and foot, intercepting every pass that came from the other end of the floor and returning the ball with fast dribbles which usually resulted in a score.

"Red" Started 'Em. The Firsts took the floor without Art Boyd, but "Red" Hastings, who had participated in an intermediate game earlier in the evening, played an effective game at centre, which allowed Ed Brukenridge to go to the forward line. Hastings started the Firsts on their scoring rampage and Forbes, McKinnon, Brukenridge and Whyte all figure in the point-getting before the half-time whistle.

In the second half the Firsts continued to annex points, but did not press hard. They did a lot of passing and dribbling which had the Crescents guessing most of the time. By winning the championship the Firsts brought the third B. C. Sunday School title to the First Presbyterian Church. The year a week ago Saturday the Axioms won the Junior Girls' championship and the Fidelis and men's seniors copied two additional titles this week-end. This church has amassed a large number of titles during recent years, the men's seniors having done particularly well, having won everything in sight.

Mets Made It Three In A Row. In the third game played on Saturday night the Metropolitan girls were successful against the Mt. Pleasant team. They had to fight hard over the whole route and it was only in the second half that they managed to get a strong offensive going. The "Pleasant" girls, E. Archibald, the husky centre of the Mets, was mainly responsible for the victory. She scored six points and a great deal of extra dribbling. The Mets' forwards were unable to get into the score column, being covered up by big guards. The Mets, however, had a couple of guards who managed to slip to the other end of the floor and notch five points between them. The Mainlanders played hard but the

Hand Giants And Yankees Heavy Bumps

Huggins Clan in Third Place, While McGraw's Boys Lose Three Straight

New York, April 30.—Although they dropped three games in a row, the National League Giants retained their title of champions of the league at the close of yesterday's games, but the American titheholders, the Yankees, had dropped to third place in the league standing, for while the Yankees were idle, the fighting Detroit Tigers broke the second place tie by defeating St. Louis 1-0 and Cleveland held first place by beating Chicago 4-3.

The Giants' third straight defeat was at the hands of the Phillies, who won a slugfest contest 9-8. Brooklyn lived up to expectations, losing to the Boston Braves 2-1. With sensational support behind him, Haines pitched St. Louis to a 2-0 victory over Pittsburgh, and Donohue pitched his third straight victory of the season at Cincinnati, beating the Chicago Cubs 3-0.

The end of the second week of the 1923 major league season shows a total of sixty-seven home runs already hit in the two leagues, forty-five by the National and twenty-two by the American League.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Detroit, April 30.—A scoreless tie that extended to the final moments of the ninth inning was turned into a one-to-nothing victory for Detroit over St. Louis yesterday when Pinchum Kowalek hit a single to deep right field, scoring Fothergill, Danforth and Daus. A pretty running duel, with the Detroit victory having a slight edge.

ATHLETICS WIN
Washington, April 30.—Hasty held Washington to five hits yesterday, and the Mackmen won a well-played game three to two. Evans scored both runs for the locals.

Philadelphia, April 30.—George Uhle was the master of the White Sox yesterday and Cleveland had an easy time making the three out of four by taking the final game of the series easily to three before a crowd estimated at 35,000. The visitors bunched their lead in the first inning, but the part of the locals.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
New York, April 30.—The Giants lost their third straight game at home when Philadelphia won a free hit game here yesterday nine to eight. After the Phillies drove Jack Bentley off the mound in the third the Giants hacked away at Meadows' lead until he too had to retire. His successor was ineffective, but Philadelphia's margin was sufficient.

Pirates Field Well
St. Louis, April 30.—Supported sensationally, Jess Haines pitched St. Louis to its third straight victory by defeating Pittsburgh three to two in the first of a four-game series here yesterday. The Cardinals executed four double plays. Glazner, Pittsburgh's pitcher, hit a home run in the sixth inning.

Braves Doing Well
Brooklyn, April 30.—Boston defeated Brooklyn in their first game of the season yesterday two to one. Two errors followed by a single by McNis gave the Braves their first run in the opening inning. The Dodgers tied the score in the sixth on Griffith's double and Wheat's single. Boeckel scored the winning tally in the eighth on McNis' sacrifice and Bagwell's single.

Will Play-off With James Bay
Methodists for Basketball Championship
The Times and James Bay Methodist will play-off for the championship of the "B" Division of the Community Centre basketball hoop as a result of the Newsies win over their old rivals the Colonists five on Saturday night by the score of 27-13.

The evening paper team showed a marked superiority over the "early risers" and had the game tucked away in their hats from the starting whistle.

The final battle for the league laurels will most likely be played next Sunday evening when a great game will take place between The Times and Bays. These teams have met twice before and have had an even break. The Bays winning the first game by a lone point while the Newsies grabbed the second 22-16.

The Times secured an early lead on Saturday and they had no trouble holding it, and at half-time the count stood 17-5 in their favor. In the final half the Colonists tried hard to stage a comeback but their efforts were futile and the winners total steadily rose until they had advanced far into the lead. The second half of the game was the fastest that has been played in a "B" Division contest this season.

Jack McMillan, Former Victorian, Is Canadian Billiard Champion

Vancouver, April 30.—In a match which is generally accepted as deciding the Canadian Billiard Championship, Jack McMillan, champion of B. C. in English billiards, Saturday night defeated A. P. Woodward, Canadian champion, 5,000 points to 4,325. McMillan had the edge on Woodward in the week's contest after the first two days.

Woodward assumed the Canadian title after defeating Ibbotson in Montreal last month.

Jack McMillan is very well known in Victoria. He resided here for a number of years and was formerly in charge of the billiard parlors at Two Jack's. This is the first time that a Westerner has competed for the title and it proves that there are just as good billiard players on this side of the Rockies as there are in the East. It appears to be the same in all sports.

Ladysmith Wins Soccer Title In Hard Battle

Vancouver, April 30.—Although Ladysmith had a decided edge on the afternoon's play and deservedly won the Province Cup, emblematic of the provincial championship, from the Varsity eleven, a different story might have been written if the varsity forwards had shown any particular sense of direction.

The main-overs and backs were as good as the island; the goalkeeper was better, but the forwards failed to deliver. In a nutshell, that is how Varsity lost by a 1-0 score.

Ladysmith scored through F. Strang in the first overtime period of fifteen minutes after the clubs had battled strenuously for the full time scorelessly. Thirty-five hundred people paid to see the teams in action and they were well rewarded.

A Bouquet for Locke
The game was exciting and close all the way. Referee Locke, of Victoria, was well rewarded.

PROTESTS TURNED DOWN BY D.C.F.A.

Entries for Connaught Cup Series Must Be in by May 17; Teams Do Well

Vancouver, April 30.—Two appeals against the decision of the district governing boards were dismissed at the regular meeting of the council of the B. C. Football Association Saturday night.

Northfield appealed against the decision of the Upper Island Governing Board on the protest against Nannaimo City. Northfield alleged that the Nannaimo team played a suspended player.

McDowell, of North Vancouver, appealed against the decision of the lower Mainland governing board on their protest against the match with Varsity.

An application for affiliation from the Abbotsford team was accepted. Financial figures relating to the provincial cup semi-final between Victoria Wests and Ladysmith were received and accepted. The gate receipts amounted to over \$500. After all expenses had been deducted each team received \$15.98.

SAANICH BEATEN BY GOAL AT NANAIMO

Junior Champions Eliminated by Cumberland in Close, Hard Battle

The Saanich Thistles, city junior football champions, journeyed to Nanaimo on Saturday afternoon and stacked up against the Cumberland junior eleven in the semi-final for the championship. They were defeated by the up-island team 1-0 after a hard fought battle.

The game was closely contested and at the half-time whistle neither side had been able to place the leather between the posts. The second half provided plenty of excitement for the spectators and not until the last five minutes were the winners able to score the goal with the only goal of the game.

As a result of their win the up-island team will clash with the winners of the Vancouver return for the championship of the Province and the right to hold the O. B. Allen trophy this year.

Interest Now Centres Over 2nd Division

Speculation As to What Clubs Will Be Promoted to First Division

London, April 30.—(Canadian Press Cable).—With Liverpool, Bristol City and Nelson established firmly at the head of their respective sections, chief interest in the football tourney lay with the second division where Leicester City went to the head of the table by defeating Bury, and Clapton Orient went step farther away from the third division by defeating Bradford City. The London remaining match to ensure their continuance in the second division.

Several teams have still a game to play and anything may happen. Rotherham County played desperately against Blackpool and their defeat looks like sending them down in competition at the head of the table is very interesting, it being still an open question as to which two of Leicester, Notts County and Westham will earn promotion on the basis of the two latter meet next Saturday.

Even if they lose to the Wednesday Sheffield in the mid-week, Westham will earn promotion on the basis of the two latter meet next Saturday. In the first division machine, Stoke was rather unfortunate against the champions at Liverpool in losing Milne who was injured, and had it not been for the excellence of Scott, in goal, in spite of their weakened position, they probably would have won.

PHIL SICK; MATCH OFF

Owing to the illness of Phil Taylor, the Oak Bay and the second half of the 72-hole match between Alex. Duhle and A. Bull of the Vancouver Golf Club, and Taylor and Jack Hart, of this city, scheduled for yesterday, was postponed. It will be played at a later date.

CARPENTER TRANS HARD FOR BIG BOUT

Frenchman Hopes to Regain His Lost Prestige Against Marcel Neilles

Paris, April 30.—Georges Carpenter is training hard for his fight next Saturday here against Marcel Neilles. In fact it is said he never before has trained harder for any fight than for the 20-round battle in which he hopes to regain his prestige lost in the same ring to Victor B. C. Senegalese fighter, Siki.

The programme, in addition to the Carpenter-Neilles fight, contains battles for two European championships. Hobin, of Belgium, will fight Porcher, of France, for the welterweight crown, and Charlie Meudoux meets another Frenchman, Roudoux, for the bantamweight title.

CANADIAN SWIMMING CHAMPIONSHIP IS AWARDED TO VICTORIA

Montreal, April 30.—The Canadian Swimming Association announces that championship races this summer will be held at Victoria to the West as follows: Men's 100, 200 and 400 yards; 50, 100, 200 and 400 yards; 200-yard relay race; 200-yard relay race; 100 yards, Dominion championship.

WANT FIRPO TO MEET WILLARD THIS MONTH

New York, April 30.—Chairman Muldoon of the New York Athletic Commission has suggested to Tex Rickard that Jess Willard be matched with Luis Firpo instead of Floyd Johnson for the Mik Fund card.

WILL PLAY IN FRANCE

Paris, April 30.—William M. Johnson has cabled his entry in the hard court tennis championships to be played at St. Cloud beginning May 19, says L'Auto.

BRITISH ROYALTY FORCE NEW RECORD

Americans Won Relay Championship Saturday; Canada Scores Victories
Philadelphia, Pa., April 29.—Great Britain, represented by Oxford University, failed Saturday in a gallant attempt to capture for a second time the two-mile college relay championship of the United States, but the great British quartet forced an even more brilliant Pennsylvania State team to set a new world's record to it.

Cup Tie Final Is Branded As Fiasco

Good Nature Was Quite Evident and "Thousands of Casualties" Reported Find But Fifty Still In Hospital; Authorities Plan Full Inquiry; "Tap Was Turned On and No One Could Turn It Off," Says Deputy Chairman

London April 30.—(Canadian Press Cable).—With few exceptions the comment on the fiasco at the football cup final between Bolton and West Ham at Wembley on Saturday are characterized by similar good nature. The match was branded as a fiasco by the actual participants in the game. Probably this attitude is partly due to a sub-conscious feeling of immense relief that the disorder of the big event of Saturday passed without enormous loss of life. The "thousands of casualties" reported in connection with the match sounds serious, but not fifty of the injured remain in hospital and all who are there are doing well.

A full inquiry into the trouble is promised by the authorities. In the meantime there appears to be no anxiety to obtain anybody's blood, notwithstanding the surprise expressed that the football association should be necessary to hurry a disclaimer of responsibility for any share in the fiasco. The stadium authorities so far have merely published a statement detailing the preliminary measures that were taken for the control of the crowd on Saturday and the subsequent emergency measures resorted to when matters became threatening.

Couldn't Realize It. Primarily, it is realized that the disorder was due simply to the inability of the authorities to realize that the stadium, enormous as it is, was not big enough to accommodate the crowd. It was wished to get inside on Saturday.

Nobody blames the police, who always provide measures for the control of big crowds at football matches, and whose services are paid for at a fixed rate. When reported, after which Routledge in the Nannaimo room from Merfield. Half-time was signalled with a blank score sheet.

Four Goals in Dying Moments Trimmed Wests

Nanaimo Showed How to Get Goals in Hurry Here Saturday Afternoon
Those football enthusiasts who were privileged to be present at the Royal Athletic Park on Saturday afternoon were treated to one of the finest exhibitions of soccer seen in this city for a long time. The finely cut, well-trained boys from Nannaimo were the visitors, and the occasion was the return game of the Victoria Wests, who visited the local city two weeks ago. Nannaimo brought their full cup team, with the exception that Zaccaria seemed instead of Bell, the two brothers forming a defense which was well nigh impenetrable. Injuries robbed the Wests of three of their regular players, but capable substitutes in the persons of Jimmie Allen, Chester and Shandley, kept the Wests' game up to its usual standard. Chester, at right back for the Wests, gave a fairly good account of himself, but he was given the credit of keeping the score sheet intact for seventy-five minutes, and it is a pity that two mistakes about him were recorded against him. Moving about with the agility of a feline he got in the way of a dozen or more hard drives by the Nannaimo forwards during the first half. Four goals were scored by the visitors in the last fifteen minutes of the game, this being the extent of their success, and the Wests retired losers by four goals to nothing.

It was a game of thrills, as strenuous times as cup-tie football, in which the Wests were unfortunate in not being able to register a goal. Clarkson and Sherratt on the extreme wings were too well watched to be as effective as usual. Nevertheless they did not give up trying, and the very last kick of the game was a great drive from Jimmie Sherratt, who tried to beat the unconquerable Routledge.

Nannaimo Opened Fast
Fowler kicked off for Nannaimo, who started at a great pace, and Chester was forced to concede a corner in the first five minutes. The first minutes play remained in mid-field. Nannaimo broke away and severely taxed the efforts of the whole Wests' team. Several times Jimmie Chester's anatomy seemed to be their target. Shandley punched away a beautiful drive from the foot of Brown on the touchline, and then Thomas sent Merfield away, the effort terminating in Muir slipping between the Nannaimo backs and sending in a hot one which Routledge did well to catch. A lively ball and a dry ground favored the miners' play, and the result of a faultless concerted effort in the first half was a goal which was well placed by Brown. Chester again booting the ball away from a crowd of players in the goal mouth, a deliberate case of hands against the Wests just outside the penalty area passed un-

YESTERDAY'S GAMES

COAST LEAGUE
At Seattle—First game—R. H. E. San Francisco 8 18 1. Seattle 2 7 1. Batteries—Courtney and Agnew; Blake, Figs, Tesar and Yarran.
Second game—R. H. E. San Francisco 15 20 3. Seattle 2 6 3. Batteries—Geary and Telle; Plummer, Tesar, Williams and Tobin.
At Los Angeles—First game—R. H. E. Sacramento 5 11 2. Vernon 2 9 1. Batteries—Whorwath and Koehler; May and Hannah, D. Murphy.
Second game—R. H. E. Sacramento 1 4 0. Vernon 2 5 1. Batteries—Hughes and Schang; Helander and D. Murphy.
At Portland—First game—R. H. E. Los Angeles 5 11 3. Portland 9 14 3. Batteries—Walker, Fond and Daly; Yarrison, Crumpler, Middleton and Byler.
Second game—R. H. E. Los Angeles 2 9 2. Portland 1 10 9. Batteries—Thomas, Crandall and Baldwin; Schroeder and Onslow.
At Oakland—First game—R. H. E. Salt Lake 4 5 6. Oakland 1 7 1. Batteries—Singleton, McCabe and Peters; Colwell and Chaves.
Second game—R. H. E. Salt Lake 6 11 4. Oakland 3 7 7. Batteries—Gould, Kallio, McCabe and Peters; Antinson, Males, Murchie and Thomas.

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METCHOSIN TOLD TO 'BUY B.C. PRODUCTS'

Special to The Times.
Metchosin—A special meeting of the Metchosin Women's Institute was held Friday afternoon, April 27, when Mrs. A. W. Todd in conducting a model meeting carried the "Buy B.C. Products" campaign into the Metchosin district.

The meeting was well attended and was opened by the president, Mrs. M. M. Brown, who then vacated the chair, which was taken by Mrs. Todd. The roll call was answered by pithy paragraphs, each containing some note of the value of supporting and encouraging B. C. industries.

This was followed up by an inspiring address, which had been prepared by the B. C. Products Bureau of the Vancouver Board of Trade, and was read by Mrs. Todd. The address contained a review of the history of the Province since its confederation on July 20, 1871, showing the growth and development of her industries.

The industries dealt with in the address were, agriculture, forestry, including pulp and paper, mining, fishing and manufacturing, showing the many branches of manufacture and the multiplication of manufacturing plants which in 1880 numbered 415, producing \$2,900,000 worth of goods, and now numbers 2,500, employing 50,000 workers and producing \$260,000,000 worth of goods annually.

It was pointed out that agricultural workers were to-day actively engaged in forming co-operative associations for the successful marketing of their products, but in doing this they must also educate the public to consume those products.

During the discussion following the address, Mrs. Howard, a member of the Metchosin W. I., spoke of the matter as "A question of Loyalty," saying that she believed that money should be spent where it was earned, and that the people should be loyal to their own community and Province.

The secretary, Mrs. Taylor, announced that four splendid prizes had been secured for the grand masquerade May-day festival to take place in Metchosin Hall, on Tuesday, May 1.

SOOKE NEWS

Special to The Times.
The Otter Point School team came to Sooke on Saturday evening to play the return match the result of which determined which school should hold the Nicholson Shield for the coming year. The Sooke children are very much bigger for their age in comparison with those from Otter Point and easily had the game all their own way, though the Otter Pointites put up a most plucky fight. The result of the game was that Sooke won by twelve points to nil. The following were the players:

Sooke—L. Helgesen, J. Nicholson, R. Muford, I. Helgesen and H. Pontious.
Otter Point—N. Amey, J. Polier, E. Amey, B. Davidson and M. Polier.

After the game dancing was enjoyed until midnight. Miss Porter had charge of the music and was assisted by Mrs. Higgs, Miss Florence Muir, Mr. Helgesen and Messrs O. McIntosh, Senior and Junior at the drums. Miss MacKinnon took charge of the refreshments, assisted by T. Wright and others. There was a large crowd present from Sooke, Otter Point and Shirley.

Professor Straight, of the Dominion Experimental Farm, was in Sooke last week to establish a small apiary experimental station. He was accompanied by Mrs. Greenwood, secretary of the Vancouver Island branch of the Beekeepers' Association, and Mr. Hall, and it was on the former's lot at Sassex that the colony of bees was placed. Mr. Fisher, of Metchosin, who was such a keen apiarist, used to bring a colony of bees to Sooke each year in days gone by, as he maintained that the honey obtained by the bees at Sooke was of a most delicious flavor on account of the good crops of clover that were grown. The bees were always placed on that part of Henry Fisher's farm which is now owned by Mr. McNamara. Alex Campbell has several hives, as has also Mr. Allis, of Seventeen-Mile House.

Miss Olive Seaton, formerly of Otter Point, was recently married in Portland to Mr. Rhine. We extend every wish for their happiness.

LARGE ORE FIELD FOUND IN RUSSIA

Moscow, April 29.—A scientific expedition financed by the Government has solved a mystery of fifty years' standing by its discovery in Kursk of a magnetic iron ore field. The ore was found at a depth of 600 feet and in such quantities as to arouse the hope that it may develop into one of the world's largest fields.

About fifty years ago it was noted that compasses used in Kursk, instead of pointing directly at the north magnetic pole, swung as much as fifteen degrees toward an indefinite stretch of territory. The presence of magnetic ore was agreed to be the cause, but hundreds of borings failed to locate it.

The Soviet expedition was sent at the instance of Premier Lenin and was headed by Professor Lazarov, Gubkin and Archangelov. They found the ore after six months' work in the vicinity of the provincial town of Tchigir. The ore sent here assays from fifty to seventy-five per cent pure magnetic iron. The researchers of the scientists indicate that the ore field is 250 kilometres long and from one to two kilometres wide, varying in depth from 500 to 800 feet.

NEW OFFICIAL

Ottawa, April 30.—Major George Stanley Worsley, newly-appointed Assistant Commissioner of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, has taken over his duties following his arrival from Regina, where for some time he was in charge of the recruit training depot of the force.

WOULD IMPROVE LOT OF WORKERS

Lloyd George Says Unemployment Creates Socialism
Manchester, England, April 30.—Former Premier Lloyd George, addressing a Liberal meeting here Saturday, said the uncertainty of making a livelihood in which millions of workers find themselves is mainly responsible for the growth of Socialism in Great Britain.

Outlining what he conceived the Liberal programme to be, he declared that immediate attention should be given to the general status of the workers, adding that no programme would be complete without proposals for wiping out the great waste created by alcohol.

Referring to tariff protection, he said he was sure that when the present Parliament comes to an end, the country will be plunged into the greatest fight ever known for the existence of free trade.

Belongs to All

Mr. Lloyd George said Liberalism was not a proprietary medicine to be sold in bottles with only one label. It was something belonging to them all. The Labor Party, he declared, had had no experience in the work of government. That party's great promises had not been subjected to the assay of experience. Liberalism, on the other hand, had a great record. Liberation, its great task of the future, was the timely for the evils of modern industrialism, but before tackling that problem, the Liberal forces must overthrow the tyranny of the sword and eradicate peace.

More than 1,500,000 in the United Kingdom were unemployed as a result of a war which they had not made. A system which condemned millions living in poverty, decent and industrious lives to unemployment without any fault of their own was organized blasphemy.

The former Premier said that one of the first tasks of Liberalism must be to eradicate slumdom. Three dangers to liberty were arising. The first was protection. "If there is to be a fight for free trade, let us go forward as a united party," said the speaker, whose sentiments were loudly cheered. Then there were Socialism and Fascism, he declared. "Liberalism must further pro-

INDIAN PROBLEM STILL NOT SETTLED

Ontario Six Nations Not in Agreement With Federal Government
Brantford, Ont., April 30.—"Have nothing to do with Col. Andrew T. Thompson or anyone else the Canadian Government appoints as a member of a commission to adjust our difficulties with it. If you do, you lose all chance of regaining your status as an independent nation."

Chief Gario, who was one of a deputation of five that visited Chief

DESKAHES IN ROCHESTER, MADE THE FOREGOING STATEMENT AT A MEETING OF THE COUNCIL OF THE SIX NATIONS INDIANS, HELD AT OHAWESAGO ON SATURDAY AFTER THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE INDIAN DEPARTMENT HAD LEFT. HE DECLARED THAT WAS THE MESSAGE HE HAD BROUGHT BACK FROM DESKAHES AND THAT THE COMMISSION APPLIED NOT ONLY TO THE COUNCIL, BUT TO ALL HIS SUPPORTERS. COL. THOMPSON WAS APPOINTED AS THE GOVERNMENT MEMBER OF A COMMISSION ASKED FOR BY THE INDIANS TO ADJUST THEIR DIFFICULTIES.

Anxiety is said to be increasing among the supporters of Deskahe as to what is becoming of the funds which they are sending to him almost weekly. No accounting of expenses has been made, it is reported.

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All days long messenger boys—and boys making light deliveries—flit by on bicycles.

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A carpenter with his kit wheels from one job to another. The collector and the insurance agent glide along to make calls—many of them not near a car line.

Pleasure and Emergencies

Out in the country, the city man rides for a day's fishing with his rod tied on his wheel. Coming towards him a farmer's boy wheels hurriedly to the city to get a spare part for a farm machine that has broken down.

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More people are riding bicycles today than for years past. The paved roads are so smooth, so clean, and so easy to ride on, they are creating new riders by the thousands.

Just climb on a C. C. M. yourself and see how exhilarating it is to ride a bicycle.

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Regular \$45.00.	\$22.50
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Pocket Watches for Men and Wrist Watches for Women

The "Admiral" Watch for Men—Seven-jewelled movement and gold filled case. Reg. \$18.50.	
Sale Price.....	\$8.95
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Sale Price.....	\$11.95
Waltham Watches for Men—7-jewel movement. Reg. \$15.00.	
Sale Price.....	\$10.50
Waltham and "Vanguard" Railroad Watches for Men—19-jewel. Regular \$75.00. Sale Price.....	
	\$44.50
Ladies' Bracelet Watches—15-jewel. Regular \$20. Sale Price.....	
	\$9.90
15-jewel. Reg. \$30. Sale Price.....	
	\$17.50
15-jewel. Reg. \$45. Sale Price.....	
	\$29.50

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18 inches. Reg. \$12.50. Sale Price.....

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Bowls—Beautiful cut glass patterns. Regular \$18.00. Sale Price.....

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Sugar and Cream Sets—Regular \$9.00. Sale Price.....

\$4.95

Regular \$5.00. Sale Price.....

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Vases in handsome designs. Regular \$9.00. Sale Price.....

\$3.90

1847 Rogers Bros. Tea Sets—Regular \$18.50. Sale Price.....

\$9.75

Butter Dishes—Regular \$3.50. Sale Price.....

\$1.95

Salts and Peppers—Regular \$1.00. Sale Price.....

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Child's Cups—Regular \$3.50. Sale Price.....

\$1.95

Sugars and Creams—Regular \$11.00. Sale Price.....

\$7.65

Dinner Gongs—Regular \$10.00. Sale Price.....

\$4.95

Children's Mugs of sterling silver. Regular \$10.50. Sale Price.....

\$5.25

Silverware Cabinets—26-piece cases of 1847 Rogers Bros. silver. Regular \$25.00. Sale Price.....

\$12.50

Diamond Pendants—Regular \$55.00. Sale Price.....

\$32.50

Gent's Pearl Tie Pins—Regular \$6.50. Sale Price.....

\$2.95

Novelty Earrings—All new designs. Regular \$2.75. Sale Price.....

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Solid Gold Earrings—Gem set. Regular to \$5.50. Sale Price.....

\$2.25

Ladies' Rings—Solid gold, set with cameo and black onyx. Regular \$9.50. Sale Price.....

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Diamond Bar Brooch in beautiful platinum setting. Regular \$85.00. Sale Price.....

\$49.50

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\$3.75

Sunburst Bar Pins—Solid gold. Regular \$20.00. Sale Price.....

\$15.00

Diamond Brooches—18k. white gold setting. Reg. \$65.00. Sale Price.....

\$39.50

Pearl Sunburst—18k. gold setting. Regular \$45.00. Sale Price.....

\$25.00

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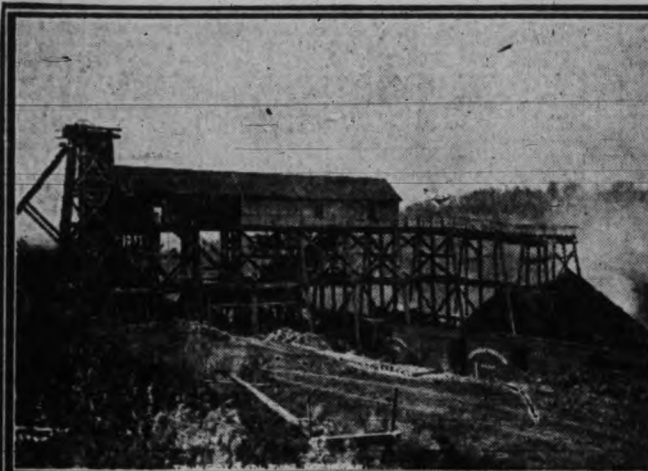
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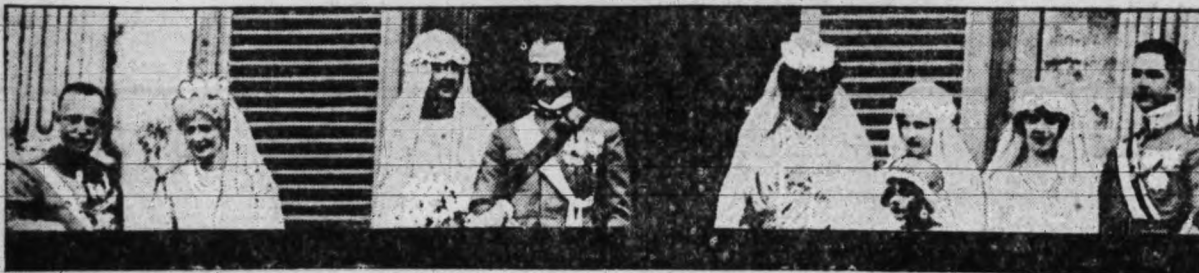
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How Alberta Coal Is Mined

The above photographs are of various stages in the mining of Alberta coal. The upper left shows a typical western mine with cars ready for loading. The upper right shows a miner picking the coal out of the seams. The lower left is the first process in the screening of the coal. The lower right is one of the last stages of the screening. The smaller lumps filter through the holes in the moving table. The remaining pieces are carried through chutes to be loaded in the cars.

Scenes at the Wedding of Princess Yolanda



Above are members of the royal Italian family on the balcony of the palace at Rome immediately after the wedding of Princess Yolanda and Comte Calvi de Bergola. Left to right, King Victor Emmanuel, Queen Mother Margherita, the bride and groom, Queen Elena, the Royal Princesses and Prince Hubert.



Frank A. Vanderlip
noted American financier, is among those who have benefited in health by the insulin treatment for diabetes, perfected by Dr. F. G. Banting, of Toronto.



Al Striker, vaudeville performer, didn't hang by his foot from a Baltimore Theatre just for publicity. He did it to help the fund of the National Vaudeville Association.



Mrs. Lily Charlotte Groom, who won the babycart pushing contest from London to Brighton, England, covering the 52 miles in 12 hours and 20 minutes.

Doctor's Bride



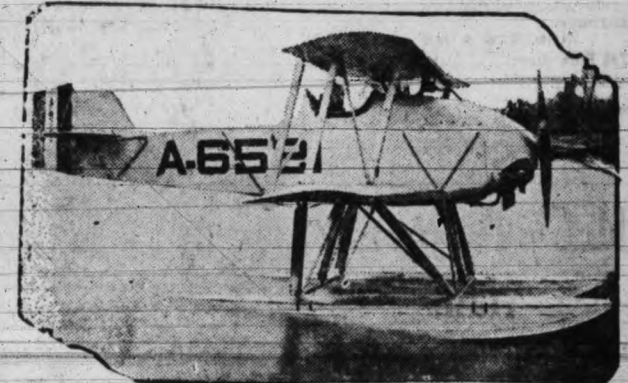
Miss Margaret de Ferraris
daughter of a celebrated portrait painter, whose engagement to Dr. Albert Lorenz, son of the famous Viennese orthopedic surgeon, has been announced.

Sergt. Murphy



Sergt. Murphy
the only American-owned horse ever to win the British Grand National steeplechase, consents to pose for his first close-up.

It's Here—the Flivver Plane



This, the smallest military seaplane ever built, had its first tryout over Lake Erie the other day—and it worked. It's so small you could stow it away on a submarine. Glenn L. Martin Company developed it.

SCHOOL DAYS

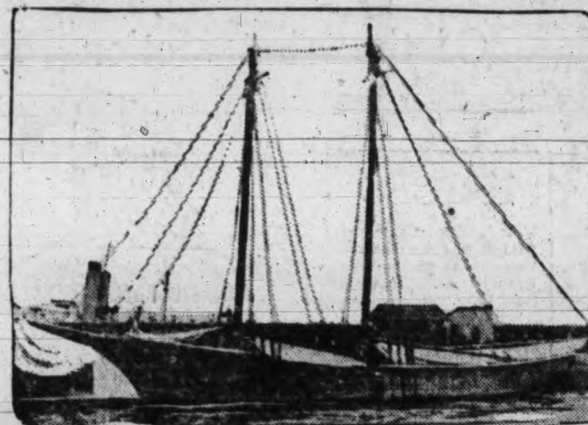
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By DWIG

He Invented It



Dr. John Roach Straton, pastor of Calvary Baptist Church, New York, breaks into the news probably more frequently than any clergyman in America. This time it is through his new invention, a portable pulpit that fits over the hood of his auto. Dr. Straton is shown here in his new device.



This schooner, with one of her masts broken, her stores broken open, discharged cartridge shells scattered from stem to stern and a machine gun mounted for action, was found adrift at Great South Bay, Long Island. Yes, there were empty whisky cases aboard.

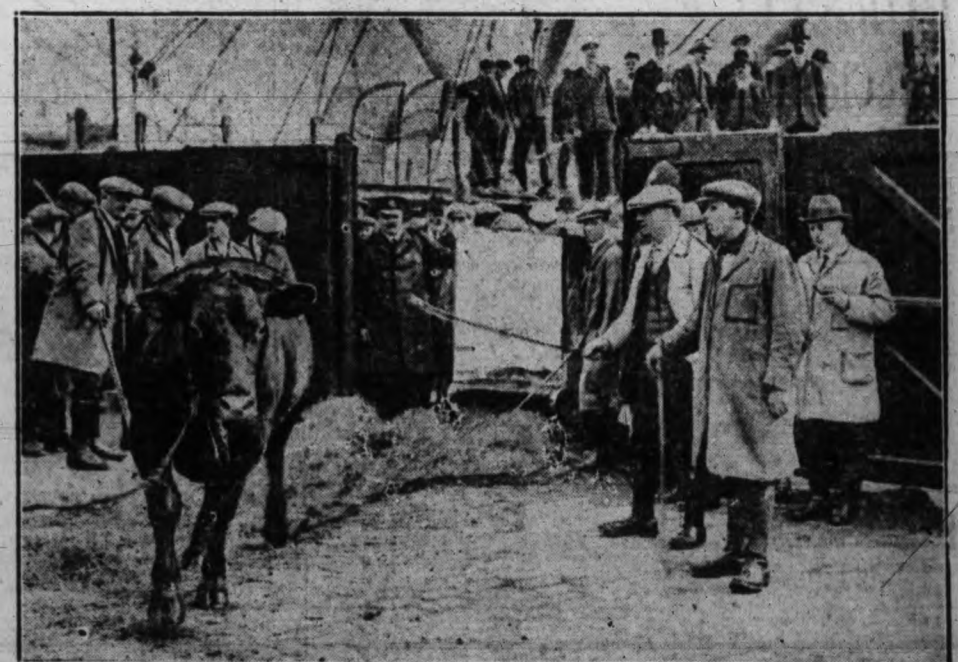


Mrs. Clara Phillips
"hammer murderer," who escaped from Los Angeles Jail some months ago, is reported to have been located in San Salvador.



Col. Joseph (Klondyke) Boyle
of Woodstock, Ontario, described as "The D'Artagnan of Canada," is dead in England, aged 56. He became a world figure during the Great War.

Civic Welcome For Canadian Cattle



The first consignment of Canadian cattle to reach Scotland since the establishment of the embargo 31 years ago arrived in the Clyde in the Donaldson liner Concordia, and were landed at Merklands Wharf, Glasgow. Elaborate arrangements were made by the Corporation and others for the reception of the animals, which met with something like a civic welcome. Photo:—The first steer to land.



Engagement of Princess Maïda, second daughter of the King of Italy, to the Duke of Brabant, Crown Prince of Belgium, is reported in Rome.

LATEST NEWS OF THE MARKETS

COST OF LIVING IN UNITED STATES

Washington, April 30.—The cost of living in the United States last March was 63.8 per cent higher than the average of the year 1913, according to a computation announced to-day by the Federal Bureau of Labor Statistics, based on retail commodity prices and housing costs in thirty-two cities. Food was 42 per cent higher, clothing 74.4 per cent, housing 62.4 per cent, fuel and light 8.2 per cent, furniture 17.4 per cent, and prices of miscellaneous commodities 100.3 per cent.

Messrs. Roberts & Mellor

Instructed will sell by public auction at their rooms, 735 Fort Street on

To-morrow, May 1

at 1.30 o'clock

Household Furniture and Effects

(Removed for Convenience of Sale) and including in part: Deep Stuffed Chesterfield in tapestry, 3-piece suite. Upholstered Willow Chairs, Rockers, Electric Lamp, Occasional Tables and Chairs, Wilton and Axminster Carpets, Folding Card Table, Secretaire, Bookcase, Writing Table, Jardiniere, Oak Hall Stand, Pictures, Curtains, Grass Chairs, "Crest" Rug, Dining-room Furniture in fumed and golden oak, Brass and Enamelled Beds and Mattresses, Oak Bureau and Washstand, Bedroom Chairs and Rockers, "Majestic" Range, K. Tables and Chairs, Cooking Utensils, Folding Garden Seat, Garden Tools, Hose, Seaweed and other goods too numerous to mention.

On view this afternoon.

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Instructed by the executor, will sell as above, including Golden Oak Sideboard, Oak Table, Jardiniere, Open Stairs, Spoons and Cutlery, Dinner Set, also new Fumed Oak Devereux with Felt Mattress, 2 Easy Chairs, Couch, Centre Tables, Oak Chest, Electric Iron, good Linoleum, Lace Curtains, Blankets and Linen, Wardrobes, Oak Dressers, Simmons Steel Beds with almost new Mattresses, Seagrass Chairs, Open Heater, Trunks, Books, Preserves, Patec Steel Range (like new), Garden Tools, Hose, Refrigerator, Crockery and Utensils.

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Retail Market

Vegetables

Turnips, 5 lbs. 25

Beets, 8 lbs. 25

Carrots, 10 lbs. 25

Garlic, lb. 25

Chilliflowers 25 to 30

Spinach, 2 lbs. 25

Parsley, bunch 25

Lettuce, each 25

Hothouse Lettuce, each 25

California Lettuce, each 25

Watercress, per lb. 10

Minut. 10

Potatoes—

Local 25

Chilliflowers, sack 25

Celery, per stick 15 to 20

Asparagus, local, per lb. 25

Leeks, per bunch 25

Local Cauliflower 20, 25 and 30

Green Peas, lb. 25

Alfalfa Strawberries, per box 50

New Navel, dozen 1.45

Walnuts, per lb. 25, 30, 40, 50 and 60

Marmalade, Orange, dozen 50

Table Raisins, dozen 45 and 50

Bananas, dozen 25

Lemons, California, dozen 40 and 50

Prunes, 2 lbs. for 30

2 lbs. for 45, and 30

Turkey, 4 lbs. packet 1.15

Walnuts, per lb. 25, 30, 40, 50 and 60

California Grapefruit, 3 for 25, 2 for 20

Local Tomatoes, per lb. 10

Mexican Tomatoes, per lb. 10

Apples—

Local 4 and 5 lbs. for 25

Wineaples 25

Newspaper 2.25

Almonds, per lb. 35

California Soft Shell Walnuts, lb. 25

Brazil, per lb. 20 and 30

Roasted Peanuts, per lb. 25

Cocoanuts, 10 and 15

Chestnuts, lb. 10

Butter—

New Zealand, lb. 45

Comox, lb. 45

Cowichan Creamery, lb. 45

Salt Spring, lb. 45

Oleomargarine, lb. 45

Pure Lard, lb. 25

Oysters in shell, dozen 60

Pullets, dozen 30

Chickens, dozen 30

B.C. Cream Cheese, lb. 44

Finest Ontario, solids, lb. 38

Finest Ontario, curd, lb. 38

Edam Dutch Cheese, lb. 38

Gouda Cheese, lb. 45

Gorgonzola, lb. 1.10

Imported Parmesan, lb. 1.10

English Stilton, jar 1.25

Stiltons, lb. 1.25

Imported Roquefort, lb. 1.00

Swiss Gruyere, box 1.00

Eagle Brand Camembert, box 1.00

Circle Brand Breakfast Cheese, lb. 25

Spring Salmon, lb. 25, 2 lbs. for 45

Spring Salmon, white, lb. 25

Blonders, 2 lbs. 25

Local Halibut, lb. 25

Local Cod, lb. 15, 2 lbs. for 25

Black Fish, lb. 10

Skate, lb. 10

Clams, lb. 15, 2 lbs. for 25

Crabs, lb. 15, 20 to 25

Shrimps, lb. 15, 20 to 25

Meats

Trimmed Loin, lb. 25

Legs, lb. 25 to 30

Shoulder Roast, lb. 25 to 30

Pure pork sausage, lb. 30

No. 1 Steer Beef—

Shoulder, lb. 15

Shoulder Steak, lb. 15

Butterhouse, lb. 15

Choice Local Lamb—

Shoulder, lb. 25

Legs, lb. 25

Prime Local Mutton—

Shoulder, lb. 32

Loins, full, lb. 30

Standard grades, 49-lb. sack 2.10

Feed

Wheat, No. 1, per ton 100

Barley, 45.00

Ground Barley, 45.00

Oats, 45.00

Crushed Oats, 47.00

Whole Corn, 45.00

Feed Corn Meal, 45.00

Timothy Hay, 35.00

Alfalfa Hay, 35.00

Alfalfa Meal, 35.00

Straw, 25.00

Short Hay, 35.00

Straw, 25.00

C.N. Meal, 35.00

C.N. Cake, 45.00

Poultry Mash, 35.00

Oat Feed, 22.00

Oat Cake, 67.00

Cottonseed Meal, 35.00

Ground Bone, 25.00

BRITISH MAIL

British mail arriving here to-day included nine bags of letters and thirty bags of papers. They left Southampton, April 18.

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C.P.R. STOCK LEADS DECLINE

(By Burdick Bros., Ltd.)

New York, April 30.—The market showed particular trend in the early decline, and in the absence of any important new developments drifted about in the afternoon dealings, however, fresh liquidation cropped out in various sections of the list, particularly the oils, and this selling spread with result that the decline was more pronounced as the session drew toward the close. There was nothing new in the market, outside buying the power was distinctly absent and did not make its appearance in appreciable volume on the decline. The action of the market seemed to be showing the effects of distributive sales which had been conducted while ago, when the general list appeared strong. We do not believe that the yet, and accordingly look for further liquidation in the general market.

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FOUR GOALS IN DYING MOMENTS TRIMMED WESTS

(Continued from page 12.)

last fifteen minutes or not is only a matter for conjecture; they seemed to be adept in all branches of combination play except the scoring of goals, and when the Wests showed signs of wear the miners were happy.

From one of their many short-passing plays McMillan, who was a great stumbling block for the Wests' forwards, sent in a terrific drive which went just wide of the far goal post. The spectators were then treated to an object lesson in goal scoring. With ten minutes to go the Nanaimo forwards went away in a line, passing the ball swiftly from one to another until temporarily checked by Chester, whose partial clearance was pounced on by Fowler, the Nanaimo.

Manoeuvring into position the latter sent in a shot which Shandley did not see, and his second later repeated the effort.

Encouraged by this second success Nanaimo crowded on the pressure and Brown sagged the net for the third time. With the game fast drawing to a close the miners made another great effort, and in his anxiety to relieve the pressure Chester unconsciously brought down one of the opposing forwards while the latter was in the act of shooting, and a penalty was awarded.

Dickenson, who took the kick and made no mistake with a fast grounder.

Play was then transferred to the Nanaimo half, where the Wests' kick of the game Jimmie Sheratt sent in a shot from the touchline which Routledge did well to save.

The game was played in a fine sporting spirit, being "friendly" in name, but not always in nature. Stokes refereed an interesting and enjoyable encounter in his usual finished style.

The teams were: Nanaimo—Routledge; Zaccarelli and Zaccarelli; McMillan, McDougall, Stobbs, Miller, Dickenson, Fowler, Appleby and Brown.

Victoria Wests—Shandley; Chester and Copas; Thomas, Sid-Sheratt and Jimmie Sherratt, Merfield, Ogle, Muir and Clarkson.

Kings Were Elected.

Its system of government may be best described as a mixture of a king, an elected life president. Each king was separately elected. It was, in fact, rather more republican than British, but its republicanism was more aristocratic in form.

Poland had little trade and few manufactures; she was agricultural and still with great areas of grazing forest and waste; she was a poor country and her landowners were poor aristocrats. The mass of her population was a lawless and savagely ignorant peasantry and she also harbored great masses of very poor Jews.

She had retained Catholicism. She was, so to speak, a poor Catholic island Britain, entirely surrounded by enemies instead of the sea.

She had no definite boundaries at all, neither sea nor mountain. And it added to her misfortunes that some of her elected kings had been brilliant and aggressive rulers. Eastward her power extended weakly into regions inhabited almost entirely by Russians; westward she overlapped a German subject population.

Because she had no great trade she had no great towns to compare with those of Western Europe, and no vigorous universities to hold her mind together.

Her noble class lived on their estates, without much intercourse with the people. They were patriotic, they had an aristocratic sense of freedom—which was entirely compatible with the systematic impoverishment of the serfs—their patriotism and freedom were incapable of effective co-operation.

While warfare was a matter of life and death for Poland, she was a comparatively strong power, but it was quite unable to keep pace with the development of military art that was making standing forces of

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Part I.

Once there lived on top of a high mountain a witch who on her broomstick steered rode through the sky and gathered all the rain clouds, carrying them off to her cave on the mountain top. And here she locked them up. This kept the poor people in the valley from having rain for months at a time and spoiled their crops and made them suffer in other ways.

At last the King who ruled that part of the country sent out a proclamation to tell the people that to the one who would dare to climb the mountain and succeed in unlocking the cave to release the rain clouds he would give half his kingdom.

This seemed like a very big offer but without the rain of course his lands would be ruined so that half a kingdom well cared for was better than a whole one that was in ruin.

All the men of the kingdom gathered at the foot of the mountain, looking towards the top, which was hidden by a black cloud in which the mountain witch was hidden by day, on guard lest some one from the valley should dare attempt to reach her stronghold. And while many came with brave hearts, when they saw

one. Instead he kept silent. But that night when the midnight hour approached he might have been seen running swiftly towards the forest on the opposite side of the valley from the mountain.

In this forest lived a Wizard who knew many things, though Ret sam was the only one in the king's domain who had thought of going to him for help.

The magic hour was at hand when Ret sam arrived at the cave where

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the black cloud they all turned away. One there was among the gazers that, though he turned away, was bent upon trying to get to the top of the mountain and releasing the rain clouds. His name was Ret sam but as he was younger than the others no one thought of his even daring to think of undertaking such a dangerous task.

But Ret sam did not speak of the daring deed he had in mind to any

the Wizard lived. He found him sitting in the doorway stirring a pot which was boiling, over a little mound of burning sticks.

Retsam quickly told him his errand and asked his help in reaching the mountain top. "Once there I am sure I can unlock the cave where the rain clouds are held prisoners," he said.

Still stirring the pot the Wizard looked at Ret sam and said, "You, Master, are the chosen one to do this daring deed. You shall get to the mountain top but the key is not within my magic vision. The Mountain Witch is out on her nightly ride and this is the hour for you to start on your journey."

Dropping the stick with which he was stirring, the Wizard said, "Come," and led the way into the cave.

When they were inside the Wizard knelt upon the floor in one corner and lifting a stone he took from under it something that looked like a tiny gold ball but so bright that it rays lighted up the dark cave like sunshine.

Quickly covering it with his hands the Wizard stood up and going to Ret sam he placed the tiny ball in a

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Monster Crowds

Before the afternoon service had drawn to a close people commenced to congregate about the doors of the Arena, and when the service was over persons endeavoring to go home had some difficulty in pressing through the throngs which clustered about the doors seeking admittance. Long queues were formed, and when 5 o'clock arrived there was a great mass of people awaiting the opening of the doors.

Within fifteen minutes of the opening every seat in the building had been taken. Nine thousand people either stood or sat to listen to the valedictory message of the evangelist. Twice during the evening the crowds outside who could not gain admittance burst the doors open, but they were soon pushed back and the service went on irrespective of the impatient crowd outside. One thousand people waited outside the building at the various exits until all hope of entry was given up, while some three or four thousand returned to the city in despair as they saw the large throngs waiting outside the rink.

Appraised

Vociferous applause greeted the evangelist and his party as they entered the building, and when Rev. Dr. Price asked all who admired Dr. Price and his party to rise to their feet and wave their handkerchiefs, a mass of people arose, and the Arena was converted into a sheet of white as thousands of handkerchiefs were waved. The answer, the Salvation Army rendered many excellent selections while the large crowd awaited the arrival of the party from Chinatown. A song service followed, then Rev. J. S. Patterson offered up the opening prayer and the service commenced.

The Presentation

Dr. Price told of the great ovation he had received at the hands of the Chinese. A simple sermon was interpreted by Lee Chow, one of the Chinese, in a few brief words, made the presentation of a gold medal on which was inscribed these words: "Presented to Rev. Dr. C. S. Price by the Chinese United Churches, Victoria, B. C., 1923." Each one of the party then received a jade pin as a love offering.

Pray for Sick

Prior to offering prayers for the sick Dr. Price informed the large audience that there had been a greater percentage of healings in Victoria during his three weeks' campaign than he had ever had in the history of his evangelistic work. He then went on to tell the people of the wonderful healing service he had conducted in the afternoon when 600 people were prayed for. There were some sixty people at the evening service, however, who had not been reached and taking these in groups he prayed for them. Many of them fell to the floor.

Two boys, one Harry Young and the other Philip Brooks, both of whom were deaf and dumb, received their healing to-day, it was stated. Fred McGregor had brought the lads to the services, and after they had been prayed for, watched over them. Brooks, it was stated, heard the Salvation Army band playing and Carvell sing her solo, and was alleged to be able to speak. Harry Young could hear now, it is said, but could not yet speak.

Six Hundred Answer

The altar call was the greatest in the history of the campaign. No less than 600 came to the altar. Hymns of invitation were sung and prayers repeated. Then the evangelist made his closing remarks. He first of all thanked all the ministers for their hearty co-operation, stating that not once had he heard a criticism from any of the ministers of this city. He said he was grateful for their services and loyal support, and hoped that their work in the future would be more productive than ever. He also thanked the ushers.

Expression of gratitude was voiced to the city police for special constables. "There is one layman to whom I am deeply grateful for his time and support," stated Dr. Price, "and that is Mr. Staneland. The Lord bless him," the evangelist said.

Thanks Newspapers

"To the reporters I am especially grateful for the manner in which they have covered the meetings and to the newspapers for the support and publicity they have given my campaign," Dr. Price said. "I don't know whether the newspapers know it, but they have a great influence on the public. At one city I was to have visited a newspaper published an article which spoiled my whole campaign and closed the doors of the revival meeting. The ministers became frightened of the results and fell away in their support. So it is with gratitude in my heart that I am able to thank the newspapers of this city for the generous manner in which they have supported my revival campaign. The reports have always been fair and accurate," he continued. "It is through these reports that I have been able to reach many people. Hundreds of papers have been sent out of the city just because of these reports, while many people have kept the clippings as a remembrance of my visit to Victoria," the evangelist concluded. The

Campaign Is Over

Hundreds of people had tears in their eyes while they sang the parting hymn, while hundreds more broke down crying as the party went away. Floral gifts were sent to Miss Carvell and Miss Gulliford, while many other love offerings were given. Envelopes were sent to the audience for love offerings, the proceeds of which will go to Dr. Price and his party. Even people outside took up the collection of envelopes and sent them in to swell the numbers of love offerings that had been collected inside the building.

Afternoon Service

The greatest healing service of any here which Rev. Dr. Price has held was the one conducted yesterday afternoon when no less than 600 people were prayed for under the group system. Some 4,000 people were present, and owing to Sunday being the last day and so many people with cards for healing Dr. Price abandoned the sermon and prayed for some 29 groups.

Apparent Healings

Some wonderful healings were apparently enacted. One case was that of George Marston, aged 82. He had been blind for six years, he said, but after Dr. Price had prayed for him he said he commenced to see the large Arena lights. A case of paralysis was also said to be cured. A man who, it was stated, had not been able to raise his hand for seven months owing to paralysis put his hand above his head for the first time. Saturday night Capt. Ian Sinclair was prayed for. It is said that he could see much better to-day. He is confident that his hearing will return.

Moves Legs

Prior to the Sunday morning service at the Metropolitan Church Rev. C. M. Tate brought 29 Indians to be prayed for by Dr. Price. The group system was adopted, and one Indian who was confined to a couch because of paralysis of the limbs, was able to move his legs after the prayer, giving a testimony to this effect.

At Saturday's night's meeting Dr. Price prayed for 235 people, while 500 people answered the altar call. Dr. Price and Miss Helen Gulliford rendered a piano duet during the service. At the Saturday afternoon service the daughter of Mr. Seabrook Young was prayed for. Ever since she was born she has not been able to rest on her side because of dislocated hips. She now declares her bones went into place and on Saturday night she awoke twice during the night to find that she was lying on her side. A testimonial to this was given at the Sunday afternoon service.

CANADIAN SCOTTISH

Battalion orders by Lieut.-Col. H. M. Crookshank, D.S.O., M.C., A.D.C., commanding 1st Battalion (16th Battalion C.E.F.) the Canadian Scottish Regiment.

Armories, Victoria, B.C., April 27, 1923.
The battalion will parade on Thursday next, the 3rd proximo, at 8.15 p.m.; dress, plain clothes. Captain N. A. D. Armstrong, O.B.E., will continue his lecture, "Scouting in War," at the armories on Thursday next, commencing at 8.30 p.m. The undermentioned having been

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REGIMENTAL ORDERS

Regimental orders by Lieut.-Col. F. A. Robertson, D.S.O., Officer Commanding 5th Regiment, C. G. A.

Victoria, B. C., April 24, 1923.
The regiment will parade under the Commanding Officer at the Armories, Tuesday, May 1, at 8 p.m., and proceed for a short route march through the city, the band will be in attendance.

A full parade is demanded for this occasion.
All ranks are reminded that it is contrary to the Militia Act, to wear uniform except on parade, or with the permission of the Commanding Officer.

This order must be observed.
The following transfers and promotions have been recommended:
Major W. B. Shaw, 58th Battery, to Corps Reserve.

Capt. H. L. Robertson, 12th Seige Battery, to Corps Reserve.
Lieut. W. B. Monteith, 58th Battery, to Corps Reserve.

Capt. H. L. Robertson, 12th Seige Battery, to Corps Reserve.
Capt. and Brevet Major M. Kirkpatrick Crockett, No. 1 Battery, to be Major and to command No. 1 Battery.
Major T. B. Monk, No. 1 Battery, to command 58th Battery.

Capt. M. A. Kent, 58th Battery, to No. 1 Battery.
Lieut. A. Maclean, 12th Seige, to be Captain 12th Seige.

Lieut. V. McKenna, No. 1 Battery to 58th Battery, and to be Captain.
Lieut. R. E. A. Diespecker, No. 1 Battery, to 58th Battery.

Prov. Lieut. G. Pauline, No. 2 Battery, to 58th Battery.
Officers will assume their new duties forthwith as indicated above.

JOSEPH B. CLEARHUE
Captain and Adjutant, 5th Regiment, C. G. A.

Notice—The Annual Regimental Association meeting will be held in the mess, following parade on May 1. Rifle Association—The annual meeting of the Rifle Association, will be held in the men's mess, following the parade on May 1.

Strength decrease, No. 3008, Gr. J. Ball, band, 24-4-23.
JOSEPH B. CLEARHUE
Officer Commanding or Adjutant.

EXPECTS RETAIL TRADE WILL GROW

Lumber Conditions Show Considerable Improvement

Lumber conditions showed a substantial improvement in the past few weeks throughout the West, both in the export trade, and in home markets, according to W. D. Connor, President of the Canadian Puget Sound Lumber and Timber Co., who has arrived on a periodical inspection from Wisconsin.

Mr. Connor told The Times that he was particularly anxious to see the domestic market maintained because in the long run it was the surest. He had found last year a good local retail market for lumber, for the construction of residences, and it was to be hoped that this condition would continue, because the mill was anxious to do a good home business among the people where the plant was located.

As stated when Mr. Connor was last here, he continues his policy of advocating a lumber assembly plant at the Ocean Docks, believing that it would stimulate the production of the up-land mills, and provide revenue for the Government Railway and for the utilization of an expensive undertaking which at present is unproductive, the Government Ocean Docks.

He expects to be here some days looking into various interests on the island.

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